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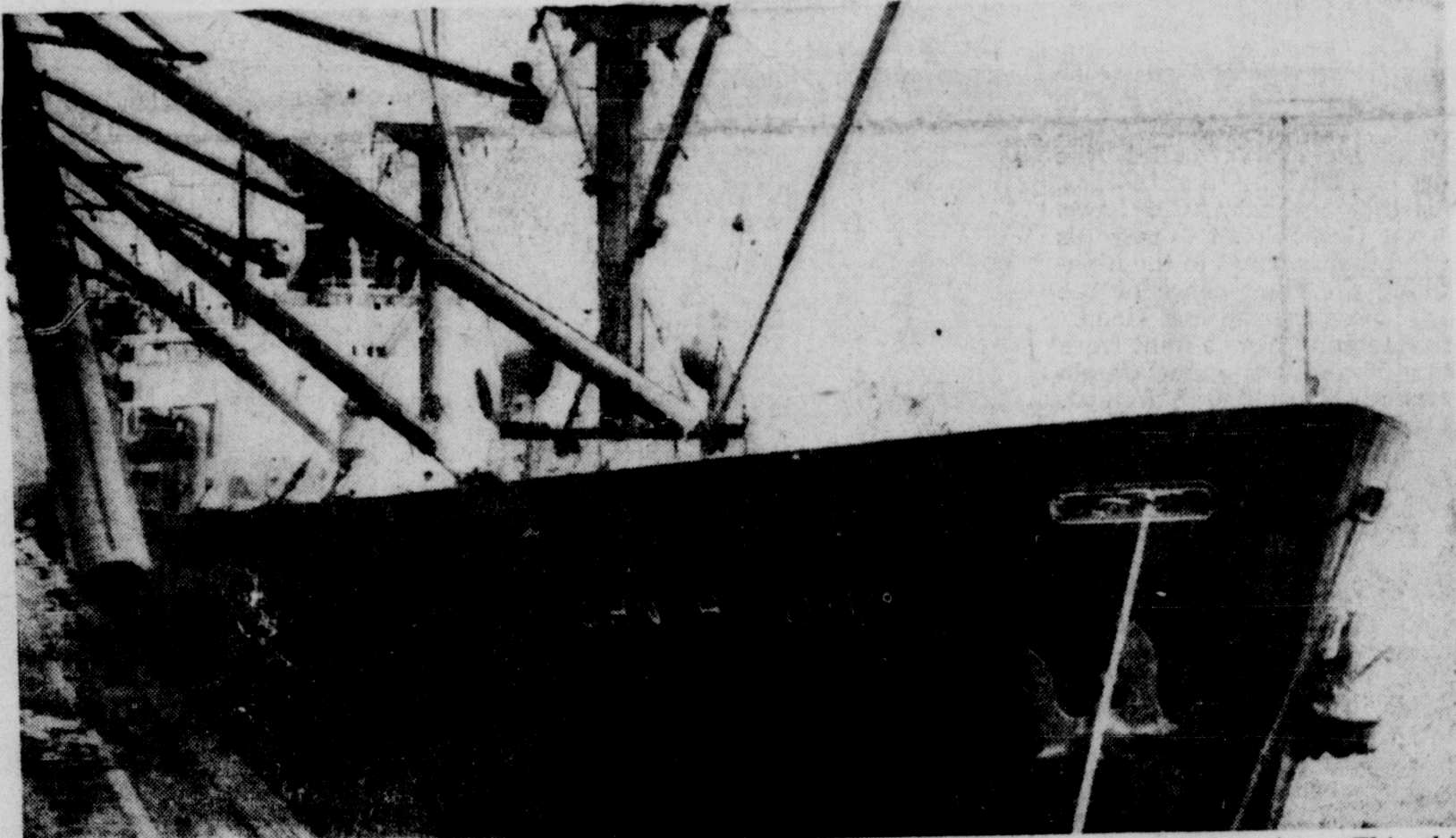
NOTABLE NEWS EVENTS IN PICTURES



PENGUINS GREET HELICOPTER IN ANTARCTIC—When the Navy Sikorsky helicopter HO39-1 landed in the Antarctic frozen wastes, only this group of Adelie penguins greeted the Navy fliers. The helicopter, a part of Task Force 39, on maneuvers in Antarctic waters, landed near the penguin rookery, and this group of birds marched proudly out to see what it was all about.



FIRST WOMAN TO LAND IN ANTARCTIC—Mrs. Edith Ronne, Ronne Antarctic Research Expedition, first woman to land on the Antarctic Continent.



LOADING WHEAT FOR FRANCE—The Marshall Plan, known as ERP, has begun to function. This ship is taking on cargo of wheat at Houston, Texas, destined to feed hungry millions of French people. Two other ships are also loading wheat at Houston. These are the first shiploads of grain to be shipped to hungry Europeans from a Texas port.



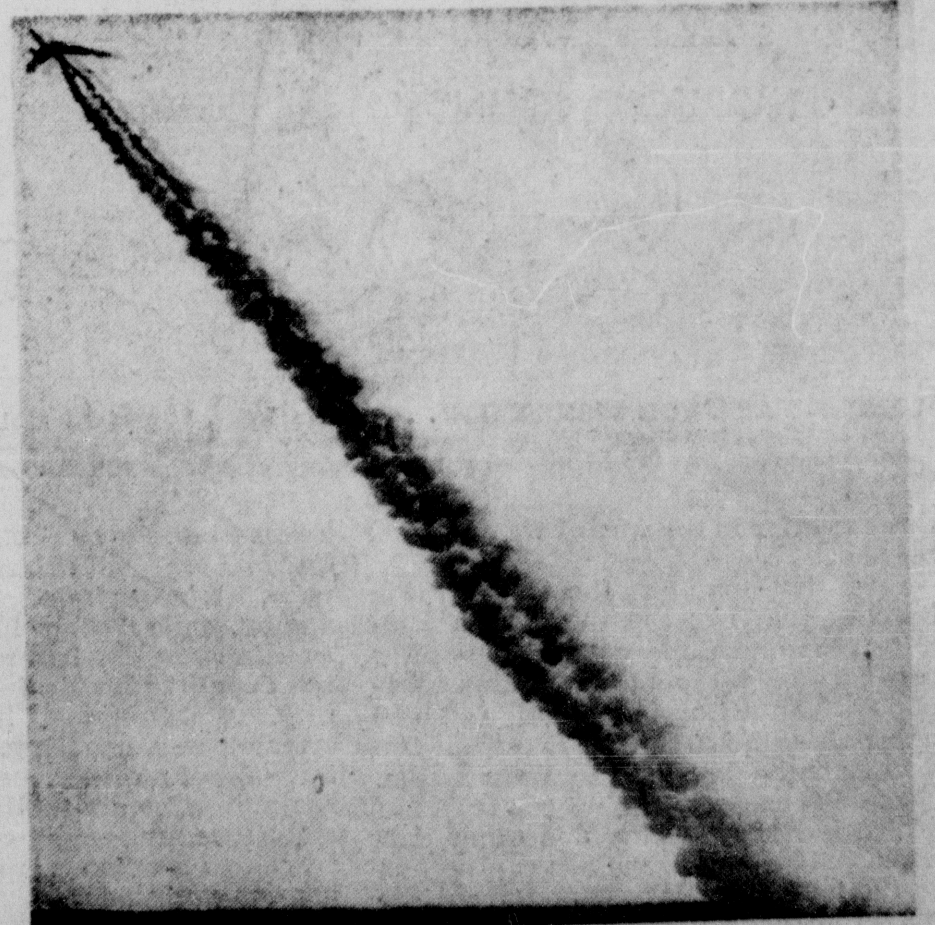
BEWHISKERED FOR HELLDORADO—Even the welcoming signboards for cowboys at Las Vegas, Nev., must wear whiskers for the Helldorado, annual western festival to be held at Las Vegas May 13-16. San Kurtz, who got his whiskers the hard way, puts whiskers on the signboard, while Gerri Solomon selects next victim.



U. S. CARRIER LEYTE AT NEW YORK—On her way to the Brooklyn Navy Yard for overhauling, wartime Carrier Leyte passes under Brooklyn Bridge. The Leyte has just returned from a cruise of the Mediterranean. The skyline of New York in the background provides adequate setting for the giant carrier.



HELD GUILTY OF CONTEMPT—John L. Lewis, United Mine Workers' President, (left) and Ezra Van Horn, coal operator spokesman (right). Lewis was fined \$20,000 and his union \$1,400,000 because he did not order coal miners back to work.



STRATOJET BOMBER TAKES OFF—New Boeing XB-47, stratojet bomber, in first rocket-assisted takeoff test at Seattle, Wash. Smoke trails made by six turbo-jet engines and 18 rockets units make the 42,000-pound bomber look like a missile in flight. The turbo-jet engines and the rocket units gave the giant ship a thrust equal to 42,000 horsepower. The bomber can develop speed of over 480 miles an hour.

COMMUNISTS LOSE in Italy But Still Have Much Power

IN THE Italian parliamentary elections on April 18 and 19 more persons voted than ever before in Italy's history. Around 29,000,000 were eligible to vote. More than 27,000,000, including aged persons and many who left their sickbeds, cast ballots. The extremely high turnout was a manifest of the Italians' concern with the issue on which the election campaign had turned. That issue was the choice between Communism and anti-Communism, between Soviet Russia and the United States.

The election returns showed Italy's choice: The anti-Communist parties polled 69 per cent of the popular vote and the Catholic Christian Democrats, led by Premier Alcide de Gasperi, emerged as the most powerful party by far in all Italy. Yet the fact that almost one voter out of three had cast his ballot for the Communists and their allies underlined the deep dissatisfaction in Italy—a dissatisfaction arising largely from poverty, inflation, the lack of social reforms.

Elections of 1946 and 1948

The tables below, which give the vote for the Constituent Assembly of 1946 and the recent vote for the Chamber of Deputies, indicate the political trend in Italy over the past two years. (Between the general elections in 1946 and 1948 the Socialist party split up. The right wing became a separate party; the left wing joined the Communists in a political alliance called the Popular Front.)

1946 ELECTION			
Party	vote	seats	
	% popular	No.	
Christian Democrats	35.2	207	
Socialists	20.7	115	
Communists	18.9	104	
All others	25.2	130	

1948 ELECTION			
Party	vote	seats	
	% popular	No.	
Christian Democrats	48.7	307	
Popular Front	30.7	182	
Right Wing Socialists	7.1	33	
All others	13.5	52	

ERP Strong Factor

The most important factor in the victory of the Christian Democrats seemed to be the European Recovery Program and American aid in general. Premier de Gasperi had based his campaign largely on ERP; he called it Italy's hope. Palmiro Togliatti, the Communist leader, had based his campaign largely on opposition to ERP; he called it a danger to Italy's independence and a threat to peace.

There were other factors in the de Gasperi triumph: The Vatican threw its support behind the Christian Democrats. Many thousands of Americans wrote to their relatives in Italy and urged them to vote de Gasperi. The United States, Britain and France, supporting the de Gasperi regime, proposed the return to Italy of Trieste, a city dear to Italian hearts. Many thousands of right-wing Italians rallied behind the Christian Democrats as the strongest single anti-Communist group—instead of voting for their own parties.

Election Statements

This is what the political leaders had to say after the returns were in:

Premier de Gasperi: "The Government intends to defend liberty for all, including the Communists, but on condition that arms will not be used and that no plots will be engineered."

Signor Togliatti: "There was foreign intervention to corrupt the will of the voters. [But the Communist party will not] appeal for force. Whatever the result of such an open battle would be,



PREMIER ALCIDÉ DE GASPERI

VICTORIOUS OVER ITALIAN REDS . . . The Catholic Christian Democrats, under leadership of Premier Alcide de Gasperi, emerged from the parliamentary elections in Italy on April 18 and 19 as the most powerful political party by far in all Italy. Anti-Communist parties polled 69 per cent of the popular vote in the election. Their votes expressed the choice between communism and democracy—between Soviet Russia and the United States.

the result certainly would be to the damage of our country. Italy would be broken in two."

The new Parliament meets on May 8. What the Christian Democrats plan to do, in victory, and what the Com-

munist plan to do, in defeat, are big questions.

The Christian Democrats have the problem of improving conditions in Italy; if they do not the Communists will certainly gain strength again.

Premier de Gasperi addressed a crowd in Rome. He said, "We are not reactionaries. Every social reform which has been promised will be made." He said his Government's program would include a heavy tax on wealth and a division of some of the property of the country's big landowners among impoverished peasants. He said he planned legislation to limit the right to strike in order to prevent strikes "serving political ends." On the same day Pope Pius XII declared that the Government should "hasten material social reconstruction . . . if justice

is to be done to all, especially to the working men and the unemployed."

Post-Election Strategy

The Communists have the problem of deciding their post-election strategy; the CP is to hold an executive meeting to run over the situation. An immediate problem facing the Communists is the probability of a break-up of the Popular Front. After the elections, there was a growing anti-Communist revolt among the Left-Wing Socialist members of the Front. Giuseppe Romita, leader of the revolt, called for "measures to be taken and action to be followed to restore the independence and insure the freedom of the Italian Socialist party." The prospects are that the Left-Wing Socialist party will split in two—with the minority remaining with the Communists.

The communistic trend in Italy has been halted by the result of the election. Yet there are plenty of communists left to carry on Soviet propaganda.

Texas Dairying Worth \$100,000,000 a Year

By W. N. BEARD

TEXAS has nearly 2,000,000 cows giving milk, including dairy herds and cows kept on farms for milking purposes. Value of these cows is estimated at more than \$120,000,000.

Texas ranks third among all the States in the dairy industry, with an annual income of about \$100,000,000. Only Wisconsin and Minnesota outrank Texas in the value of dairy products.

Dairying in Texas became an important industry about 1923. Growth was not so fast until a few years later, when large milk processing plants were established and farmers found a ready cash market close at hand for their milk and cream. Government farm policies inaugurated in 1933 also helped dairying. The industry then made rapid growth until World War II brought discouraging conditions. High feed and labor costs tended to halt the growth during war years, and these cost factors still plague dairy farmers.

slightly lower butterfat content than the Jerseys. Guernseys are proving popular in Texas and their number is increasing. In third place in numbers now, it is predicted that the Guernseys may soon rank with Jerseys in number.

These three leading breeds of dairy cattle have shown they can withstand Texas weather. All three breeds are hardy. They thrive on the feeds available in the State for dairy herds.

Milk processing plants have been a strong factor in developing the dairy industry. Indicative of the growth of these plants and the growth of the dairy industry are the statistics below, gathered by the Bureau of Business Research of the University of Texas, for 1945 and for 1930:

Product	1945 (lbs.)	1930 (lbs.)
Creamery Butter	28,121,000	25,083,000
Ice Cream	26,396,000	4,832,000
American Cheese	13,829,000	3,078,000
Condensed Milk	6,218,000	1,004,000
Evaporated Milk	42,213,000	6,829,000

*Gallons.

228 Processing Plants

The first milk processing plant came to Texas in 1923 and by 1939 there were 228 such plants operating in the

These products in 1945 were valued at \$93,944,000, of which butterfat accounted for \$15,936,000.

TEXAS Lakes and Parks Afford Vacation Retreats

By JOHN E. KING

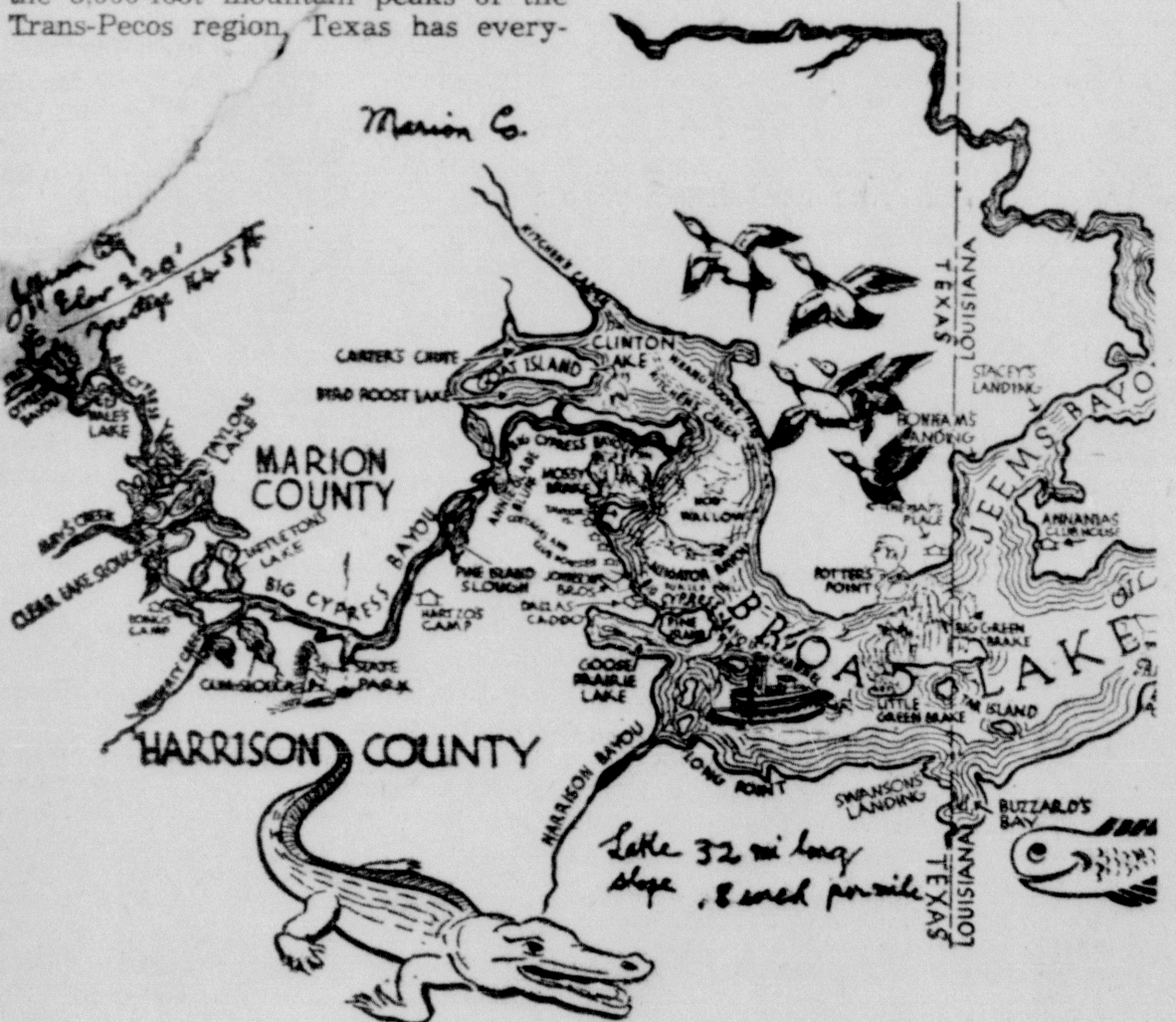
TEXAS is becoming the playground of the Southwest. Texans as well as thousands of tourists from other States find most everything for a pleasurable vacation within the borders of the State.

With a wide diversity of climate, ranging from the semi-tropical coast of the Gulf of Mexico, near Rio Grande, to the 8,000-foot mountain peaks of the Trans-Pecos region, Texas has every-

thing to offer in the way of weather and scenery.

Surf bathing on the many fine beaches that dot the more than 200-mile coastline, unexcelled salt-water fishing, including some of the finest tarpon fishing at Corpus Christi, and other aquatic sports can be found all the way from Sabine Pass to Brownsville.

Dude ranches in native cowboy-land afford horseback-riding and other outdoor sports. Camp grounds can be had in the many State Parks and about the numerous natural and man-made lakes. Some of the best fresh-water fishing in the nation is provided at Caddo Lake, the largest natural lake in the Southwest, and the many artificial reservoirs that cover thousands of acres and store flood waters for flood pre-



WONDER LAKE FOR FISHERMEN . . . Caddo Lake, largest natural fresh water lake in the South, is believed to have been formed by an earthquake about 1811. Covering 150,000 acres, it was the home and happy hunting ground of the Caddo Indians until the white man came.

Texas State Parks Board has developed Caddo Lake State Park. This 485-acre park, 15 miles northeast of Marshall and one mile west of Karnack, on Texas Highway 43, has man-made facilities complete for fishing, camping, picnicking, swimming, hiking, pleasure cruising and canoeing. The refectory building of native stone, crude logs and rustic iron, combines the functions of a clubhouse and dining center, while the 16 cabins provide camp sites and housing for vacationers.

Caddo Lake is the greatest white perch haunt in the country. Waters of the lake also harbor countless crappie, bass and bream. The mixed forests and moss-covered cypress that surround the lake with its several hundred miles of indented shoreline, make this a per-

fect scenic spot.

Scientists say Caddo Lake was formed by an earthquake about 1811-12, during the period of seismic disturbance that caused large lakes to be formed in Kentucky, Tennessee and in northeastern Missouri. The region about Caddo Lake was called the "Trembling Ground" by the Indians. Tradition is that an Indian Chief was warned by the Great Spirit to take his tribesmen and their squaws to the highest hills along the river shore or see them killed in earthquake and flood.

Warriors returning from a hunt were said to have found the great Caddo Lake where an Indian village had stood. Indian pottery and other Indian relics found within the lake at time of low water indicate that the land now covered by water was once the site of an Indian village.

Developed by CCC Labor

Like other State parks in Texas, Caddo Lake State Park was developed by CCC labor during the years of the depression. When Federal funds were made available in 1933 for State park development, a cooperative agreement was made whereby the State Parks Board would acquire desirable park sites and the Civilian Conservation Corps and the National Park Service would assist in their development.

Other Texas State Parks that have been developed and are now nationally recognized for their beauty, natural scenery and advantages as vacation retreats, include Palo Duro Canyon State Park near Canyon, Longhorn Cavern near Llano, Balmorhea State Park and swimming pool at the foot of Davis Mountains, Possum Kingdom State Park on the east and west sides of Possum Kingdom Lake, and smaller parks in many parts of the State.

Flood prevention, conservation of flood waters for irrigation and other industrial uses, and development of hydro-electric power under policies of the Federal Government during the last 20 years led to construction of many large dams on Texas streams behind which large reservoirs have been created. These man-made lakes have been developed not only for power but for recreation and pleasure; they have been stocked with fish and have become notable as playground sites.

Lake Texoma on Red River

Greatest of the man-made lakes in the Southwest is Lake Texoma formed by construction of Denison Dam on Red River. This dam, largest of its type in the world, stretches across the river near Denison for a distance of 15,350 feet, with elevation of 165 feet at its highest point. Behind this dam is Lake Texoma covering 95,000 acres, of which 26,000 acres are in Texas, in Grayson and Cooke counties, and 69,000 acres in Bryan, Marshall, Johnston and Love

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"GRANDMA," photo above, is a Guernsey cow 22 years old, and owned by Chas. Volter, Route 8, near Fort Worth. She has given birth to 18 calves.

60,000 Dairies in Texas

State. The products they turned out were valued at \$27,206,000 a year. Few milk processing plants were established during the war years, and expansion along this line is just now being resumed.

Oldest and most firmly established breed of dairy cattle in Texas is the Jersey, and Jerseys still rank first in numbers in the State. Two other breeds—the Holstein and the Golden Guernsey—have been introduced and their numbers are increasing so rapidly that they may soon overtake the Jerseys. A fourth breed, recently introduced, is the milking Shorthorn. This dual purpose breed—they are good beef cattle as well as milkers—is proving unusually popular.

The Ayrshire breed, whose milk is used principally for making cheese, has gained a foothold in Texas since the cheese-making plants came to the State. There also are a few herds of milking Swiss and Brown Swiss.

Jerseys, which account for more than one-half of the milk-producing cows in Texas, are noted for their rich milk, high in butterfat content.

Holsteins, which rank second in Texas, are rated the world's greatest milk producers. They produce a lot of milk, as much as one-third more than the Jerseys, measured by volume, but its butterfat content is only 3.5 per cent. The Jersey cow's milk averages 5 per cent butterfat.

Guernsey Herds Growing

Guernseys, recently introduced into Texas, give a golden yellow milk, rich in vitamins and minerals, with only

It is estimated there are 60,000 dairies milking 10 or more cows now operating in Texas. The larger dairies are located near the larger cities close to the center of heaviest milk consumption. Large milk distribution companies, engaged solely in the purchase, processing and distribution of milk, operate throughout the milk sheds adjacent to our large cities. These companies buy milk from small dairies and farmers who milk from one to 10 cows.

Texas ranks low in average milk production per cow as well as in average value of dairy products per cow. In value of products per cow Texas ranks 41st, and is in same rank in volume production per cow. This can be explained by the fact that the dairy industry in Texas has developed from range cattle, generally poor milkers. Many farmers still depend on range cattle for their milk supply.

But Texans are fast getting away from the range cow as a milker. Breeders of registered dairy cows and bulls can be found in every county in the State. Quality of dairy herds, therefore, is being improved.

Artificial Breeding

Artificial breeding of dairy cows is spreading over the State under direction of the Extension Department of the Texas A. & M. College. Quality of small dairy herds is being improved through artificial breeding at less cost to owners.

S. P. Marley of Route 3, Mart, a (Continued on Page 6, column 4)

Why Europe Needs Wheat

PROSPECTS for the 1948 wheat crop in Europe are good, thanks to a mild winter. Records show that European countries in normal years can raise three to four times as much of the golden grain as the United States. Yet the Old World sees a series of annual wheat deficits ahead.

Europe needs wheat imports for much the same reason that New York or New Jersey, with wheat fields of their own, import from the Western wheat belt far more grain than they grow.

Europe is populous, holding four times as many people as the 145,000,000 that inhabit the United States in an area much smaller. Europeans are wheat eaters, depending far more on grain for food than Americans. Moreover, Europeans learned many years ago, that North America and Australia can supply wheat more cheaply than it can be grown in their own countries.

Drug Kills Boll Weevils

The southern pine forests are providing a new drug product that is proving death to boll weevils. Lawrence P. Killilea of the Hercules Powder Company, Wilmington, Del., told the National Farm Chemurgic Council that toxaphene, an insect killer made from turpentine, will not only kill boll weevils in any cotton field but will also get rid of all other insect pests that are proving destructive to crops. More than 2,000,000 pounds of toxaphene dust was used on cotton fields of the South in 1947, Killilea said, and increased profits up to \$117 an acre were shown on some farms. Eight cotton growing States—Texas, Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina—are recommending use of toxaphene dust for growing cotton this year.

50,000 Migrants Idle in California

Nearly 50,000 migrant farm workers are idle in the San Joaquin Valley of California and are virtually without funds, the Fresno County Public Welfare Department estimates. D. A. Jensen, director of the department, said the situation is the "worst in years." Drought conditions in California have retarded crops to an extent that little farm work was available until after April 15. Emergency conference of State, county and welfare workers has been called to find ways for helping the needy migrant workers.

New Light On Early American Culture

New archeological finds, throwing new light on the culture of aboriginal America, have been unearthed in Panama by the archeological expedition

jointly sponsored by the National Geographic Society and the Smithsonian Institution. Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor, president of National Geographic, announced that the expedition had found the first urn burials ever to be unearthed between Ecuador and the Southeastern United States. The expedition also discovered the first man-made mounds to be located in Panama. The expedition is operating in the Republic of Panama near Parita, about 160 miles southwest of the Canal Zone.

Most of the objects found to date are believed to belong to the two centuries preceding the Spanish Conquest of the area, but the burial urns and the man-made mounds represent an earlier civilization, not yet definitely determined. Unusually fine pottery specimens have been uncovered about the burial urns. These include some exquisitely carved bone batons made from the ribs of the manatee, the sea cow of tropical America.

Missile Can Destroy Ship Half Way Across World

Guided missiles that could search out an enemy ship and destroy it even if it were half way across the world have been developed by the United States. This country also has perfected a radio-active cloud that will kill anything it touches, new bacteria weapons, and an atomic bomb far more destructive than those dropped on Japan.

This glimpse into United States experiments in the field of new weapons comes from Glenn L. Martin, airplane designer.

He added that additional new weapons are being perfected, although some of them may not be in use for at least two years.

Mr. Martin said the new guided missile is equipped with a device that steers it to its target. The weapon also can be used against iron foundries, he said, and as a result it would be possible to wipe out an entire steel industry.

The radio-active, or atomic, cloud is spread by wind, he declared. There is danger that it would backfire on its user if it were turned loose when weather conditions were not suitable.

Among the bacteria weapons, Mr. Martin said, are some capable of lying dormant for a time and then "making the victim ill, with an illness from which he dies."

If another war comes, the airplane

inventor said, the new weapons make it likely that its outcome would be decided within two or three months at the longest.

"Dixie" Written in South

A musical researcher has dug up information to prove that a Southerner, not a Yankee, wrote "Dixie," the marching song of the Soldiers of the Southern Confederacy.

Until recently, encyclopedias and reference books on music listed the author of "Dixie" as Daniel Decatur Emmett (1815-1904), a New York minstrel who is said to have dashed off the music in the winter of 1859.

Dr. Alfred Human, editor of "Musical Digest," has found proof that the music was written by several true-blue Southerners, one of whom was a clerk

the two prisoners waited patiently while Cushing finished his piano tuning job. Two hours were required to finish the job, for which the now happy music lover paid him \$35, and the party headed for Little Rock two hours late.

Bullet Taken From Heart

A Filipino soldier in Manila had a bullet removed from his heart three years after he was shot by a Japanese sniper in the mop-up campaign south of Manila. The soldier was treated when wounded by U. S. Army surgeons. Recently he complained of pains in the chest and an X-ray revealed a .25-caliber bullet in the lower part of the heart sac.

The operation by which the bullet was removed is the first successful operation of this kind in the Philippines.

Atomic Weapons

Though the armed forces are maintaining tight secrecy, it is apparent that a series of tests of atomic weapons is under way at isolated, guarded Eniwetok atoll, in the Pacific.

The tests are not the grandstand show of the 1946 bomb blasts at Bikini. The only witnesses are a few experts from one country—the United States. The experiments are strictly military.

Reports say the experts are working with new atomic bombs and also with guided missiles equipped with atomic war-heads.

Ban On Exports

In a special order President Truman slapped tight controls on exports of airplanes and airplane parts, classing them with other war materials. They can no longer be shipped from this country except under special government license. Other items on the restricted list include small arms and machineguns, fire control equipment, and range finders.

Congress members have been clamoring for tightened export controls since it was disclosed that some airplane engines, sold by the government as war surplus, were sent to Russia by private buyers.

New Drug Kills Pain

A new drug known as Methadon that kills pain in cancer, arthritis, neuritis and headache, has been reported in the Journal of the American Medical Association. Developed by German scientists as Drug 10820, but recently perfected and given the name of Methadon by American chemists, the drug has been thoroughly tested in treatments given more than 400 patients at University of Minnesota hospitals.

Dr. Elizabeth B. Troxil, of the Department of Pharmacy, University of Minnesota, said many of the patients given Methadon treatments were relieved of pain for 8 to 12 hours. The drug does not relieve labor pains.

Tricks of Cross Breeding

Chickens that lay colored eggs; cotton that comes up green or red; roses that have no thorns; bizarre goldfish made to order in shade and shape. These are some of the curious results that have come out of man's experiments with Nature's variations and adaptations.

In 1927, an American boy saw in the National Geographic Magazine a picture of the rare blue eggs of the Araucana chickens of Chile. Today, this boy, now a mature poultry enthusiast, as result of cross breeding based on the Araucana strain, has produced chickens that lay not only pastel blue eggs, but also lay delicate pink and green eggs.

Many useful plants have been developed by cross breeding and many animals have been made stronger and more productive by the same process.

New York City Has 268 Farms

The U. S. Census Bureau has come up with the startling disclosure that New York City has 268 farms, more than will be found in many towns in strictly farming sections of the South.

The Census Bureau defines a farm as any tract of 3 acres or more on which agricultural products are grown, or which produces at least \$250 worth of farm product each year.

Used Uranium for Years

Everybody except one old-timer in the Red Desert Country near Cheyenne, Wyo., became excited when uranium ore was discovered there.

The old-timer said he knew about that stuff for years, that he had used the yellowish pellets of ore he picked up on his ranch as a poultice to take the "miser" out of his arm and shoulder. The uranium treatment is said to have been used successfully.

Largest Purchasing Job

The European Recovery Program, which now includes China, is the biggest single purchasing job in peacetime history.

It is a four-year program envisioning the expenditure of some \$20,000,000,000 in an attempt to help devastated nations rebuild themselves so they can oppose the spread of communism with vigor.

The first 12 months of the program, which now has been written into United States law, calls for expenditure of \$6,098,000,000 for goods and services. Of this total, \$5,300,000,000 is to be spent on the plan of European recovery. The remainder is made available for the international children's relief fund, military aid to Greece and Turkey, and both economic and military aid to China. The money appropriation and authorization to carry out the full program must be passed by Congress each year.

Universal Postal Union

"Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds."

Herodotus uttered these words about the Greek couriers 25 centuries ago. The same words today constitute the motto of the United States Post Office Department.

But it was 70 years ago come June that this motto became of worldwide significance. In that year, under leadership of the United States, the Universal Postal Union was formed. This union, composed of virtually all the countries and colonial areas of the world, has carried on without interruption since that date. This is in effect a serene and effective union of nations. Begun in 1862, negotiations looking to the formation of the Universal Postal Union were not concluded until 1878 with the signing of the Paris Postal Treaty, still in effect.

Honduras Dispute to World Court

In the revival of Guatemala's longstanding claim to British Honduras, the United Nations International Court of Justice may find its first Western Hemisphere case.

The proposals made by both Great Britain and Guatemala to submit their differences for settlement spotlight an Anglicized spot of land that stands out sharply against the Spanish-culture background of Central America.

With the exception of Canada, the Crown Colony of British Honduras, or Belize as it is known in Spanish, is the only British commonwealth territory on the North American Continent.

Smaller than Vermont, British Honduras has a population of about 165,000—a thousand or so whites, large numbers of West Indian Negroes, mulattoes and Creoles, some Spanish-speaking groups, and in the interior Maya Indians, descendants of the ancient Mayan civilization.

Radar Guides Isle of Man Tourists

Radar now guides the way for the half-million British, Scottish, and Irish vacationists who pour into the Isle of Man, the "Monte Carlo of the North," just off the British Isles.

Douglas, the holiday island's port, has equipped its harbor to be the first radar-controlled anchorage in the British Isles. Next in line is Liverpool, great English port where visitors to the Isle of Man embark for their 80-mile Irish sea voyage. Douglas Harbor is often fogbound, which makes radar necessary for safe transport by ship or plane.

Wheat Lands Largest in Area

Wheat, grown in all the 48 States of the U. S., covers more of the world's farm lands than any other crop. Russia alone grows more wheat than the United States.

Of prehistoric origin somewhere in Southwestern Asia, wheat is harvested somewhere every month of the year. Only in the humid, tropical lowlands is wheat entirely absent.

Of the record 1947 wheat crop in the U. S.—1,300,000,000 bushels—Kansas produced more than one-fifth. Texas ranked high among the wheat-growing States.

Mechanical Reaper Won the West

Silas McCormick's mechanical reaper that first made its appearance in Virginia in 1851 inaugurated the golden grain age of the United States. With the mechanical reaper, a square mile of grain can be harvested as easily as one acre had been harvested by hand methods. The Western plains then became the great wheat fields of the country.

Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and their neighboring States grow winter wheat principally, planted in the autumn and harvested in early summer. The Dakotas and Montana, like Canada's wheat plains, plant in the spring for late summer harvest. Many States plant both spring and winter wheat.

Some 75,000,000 acres will produce the 1948 wheat crop in the U. S. This is as much land as all the New England States plus New York and New Jersey. It is one-fourteenth of America's farm acreage.

Grass Root Reveries

By JOE GANDY

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WHILE writing this column scattered April showers are falling, which ends a long drouth in sections of the Southwest. What a blessing is timely rains and what a catastrophe is untimely drouths. We shall always have drouths and should prepare against them. Back in Pharaoh's time there were drouths and famines in the land. But the Egyptians did something about it—they used the waters of the Nile to irrigate their crops. We have several rivers in the Southwest as long with valleys as fertile as the Nile, yet no concrete effort is made to use the waters of these rivers to irrigate crops.

April showers came too late to bring forth May flowers. In most parts of the Southwest there is a scarcity of wild flowers. Even bluebonnets have failed to appear in accustomed places. A popular song says the best things in life are free—and this goes for wild flowers that beautify bare roadsides, hillsides, valleys and prairies.

The most heartening news these hectic days is that Spring is here at last in all its glory. People take Spring for granted, though it's the most important event of any year. Without Spring there would be no seedtime and harvest, no grass and trees, no shrubs and flowers. Yes, Spring should be front-page news, but it is crowded off the front page by lurid stories of war, murder, holdups, strikes, riots, swindles, thefts and scandals.

Folks out in the wide open spaces where I live take time off each year to celebrate Spring with picnics, barbecues, camp-meetings, family reunions, old settlers reunions, etc. Romance and adventure are intertwined

with these celebrations. It was at a picnic in Springtime that I first met wife, wooed her and made her believe I was the most wonderful man in the world. Of course, I was lying but she believed me because youth likes to believe fairy tales and gay Lochinvars.

Lewis B. Schwellenbach, Secretary of Labor, says: "This is a time to keep

our eye on the ball, to retain our faith in democracy and our free institutions and to build them up stronger than ever before." This coming from the Secretary of Labor should impress all working people, especially union men. Strikes by union men are a menace to America. They waste money and waste time which is vital to production. Most strikes can be avoided by bargaining collectively. They cannot be avoided when either or both sides deliver ultimatums. A well-informed union man told me recently that he believed half of the labor unions in the United States were infested with Communists planted here by Stalin. These Communists are active members, many of them top executives in the unions. If America is ever defeated in war it will be from within. France, just before World War II, was having one sit-down strike after another in its armament plants. These strikes were later traced to Communists who had infiltrated into and dominated the labor unions.

Dr. Nat T. Frame, one of the founders of the 4-H Club organization, died of a heart attack at Martinsburg, W. Va. Dr. Frame and the late William H. Kendrick, also a West Virginian, are credited with founding the 4-H movement, which draws its name from goals of developing head, hand, heart and health. The millions of 4-H boys and girls in the United States have helped to make this the greatest agricultural

country in the world. For a long time—too long, in fact—the dads of many 4-H club boys ridiculed the clubs, saying they were a fad and soon would fold up and be no more. But the 4-H boys believed otherwise and, by persistent demonstrations, proved they were better farmers than some of their dads.

Tax collectors are everywhere. Everybody you buy something from is a tax collector. The grocery clerk is a tax collector, the drug clerk, the hardware clerk, the furniture clerk, the department store clerk. Hidden taxes are in everything we buy, from a toothbrush to an automobile. Some folks who do not own property think they pay no taxes. They just kid themselves.

The vote in Italy on April 18 against Communism was a jolt to Stalin and his gang. These gangsters have plotted to enslave all peoples of the world, including their own people. The mass brutality of the Russian system is without parallel in ancient or mediaeval history. Communism is plain tyranny. Even the Russian people, as a whole, hate it but fear it. If they speak out against Communism they are thrown into concentration camps by the secret police. It is reliably reported that over 7,000,000 Russians are now in concentration camps where they are starved and ill-treated. Twenty-five years ago Lenin set out to socialize Russia, and he succeeded, but his socialism has degenerated into gangsterism and terrorism.

The Bible continues the best seller, bookstore managers report. Two bookstore managers in Dallas, Texas, estimate their Bible sales average half a million a year. That's encouraging despite the devil who works overtime to deceive the people. As long as Americans buy and read the Bible more than any other book, we are on the way to a better life, for the Bible is a guide to better thinking and better living. If you don't own a Bible, buy one now and first read Matthew and Mark, the Acts of the Apostles, Proverbs and Psalms.

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"Folks in the wide open spaces take time off to celebrate Spring."

TEXAS BRIEF NEWS ---from Over the State

MAN KILLED BY TIRE BLAST

Charles Lafleur, 21, employed by the Southern Pacific Railroad at Houston, was fatally hurt when a steel rim of a truck tire, thrown into the air when the tire burst, struck him on the head. His skull was fractured.

RECORD INHERITANCE TAX

Largest State inheritance tax ever paid in Texas—\$1,105,602.96—has been paid on the estate of the late Thomas O'Connor of Victoria by the widow, two sons and a daughter who inherited the vast properties. Gross value of the O'Connor estate was placed at \$20,317,340.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN IS 103

Stephen Dupuis of Brownfield, a dispatch carrier for the Confederate Army during the War Between the States, recently celebrated his 103rd birthday at his home in Brownfield. He was born on March 9, 1945, in Avoyelles Parish, La., and joined the Confederate Army as a volunteer when he was 16 years old.

MARSHALL WOMAN IS 97

Miss Sara Jane Wilson celebrated her 97th birthday at the home of her niece, Mrs. R. L. Long, Karnack Road, Marshall, recently. The 97-year-old native of Georgia, who moved to Texas in early childhood, says she remembers well the Civil War, which started when she was 9 years old.

2,000 PLAY IN MASSES BAND CONCERT

Twenty-nine high school bands, composed of more than 2,000 high school students, marched in a parade at Conroe and played in a massed band concert on the courthouse plaza during the Conroe Festival. It is the largest massed band concert to be given in this part of Texas.

CLEBURNE WOMAN DIES AT 99

Mrs. Elizabeth Dillon of Cleburne, affectionately known as "Granny" to many residents of Johnson county, lacked but a few months of realizing her wish to live to be 100. She died at her home in Cleburne. She would have been 100 years old on May 13. The Dillon family moved to Cleburne in 1872.

USE FOR CEDAR TREES

Until recently cedar trees have been of little use in Texas except for fence posts. The cedar is not native to Texas, but was introduced after the white man arrived. Cedar now covers an estimated 5 million acres in Texas. The cedar causes damage estimated at \$20,000,000 a year by preventing grass from growing under its branches. Four plants have been established in Texas for extracting valuable cedar oil and other important by-products from cedar trees.

DYNAMITE BLASTS CROWS

Using dynamite bombs, seven Texas game wardens blasted to death an estimated 10,000 crows from roosts near Leonard, Fannin county. A. W. Lewis, State Game Supervisor of the North Texas Region, in charge of the work, said this was the first successful shoot of its kind in North Texas.

Lewis said about 50,000 crows roost in a small timbered tract a mile west of Leonard. Wardens placed 71 dynamite bombs in trees near the center of the roosting place. The bombs, loaded with steel shavings and other machine shop waste, were wired to 12-six-volt batteries through a detonator switch. Each bomb weighed seven pounds and was ten inches long with a stick of dynamite in its center. When the crows settled down to roost for the night, the bombs were exploded.

Fannin county farmers hope to grow corn this season. Crows eat their corn.

RUSK COUNTY MAN IS 96

John Crow, 96, reported to be the oldest resident of Rusk county, observed his 96th birthday at Henderson recently. His only complaint was that the prolonged winter weather had hindered him in his garden work. "I don't feel natural unless I am working," he said, "and I haven't been able to do much digging in my garden because the ground has been too wet."

MARLIN CLOTHES TO GERMANY

Mrs. Dunn Emmerson of Marlin enlisted other Marlin women in a project to send clothing to Germany for distribution among German girls. Mrs. Emmerson has been advised by her daughter, Mrs. Louis Smith, employed by the United States Army at Heidelberg, Germany, that the clothing from Marlin was distributed among 40 German teen-age girls at a party sponsored by American women assisting in a German youth program.

MOTHER EWE HAS TRIPLETS

D. C. Perry, living on Fredericksburg Road, Austin, has his hands full at this lambing season. One of his ewes gave birth to triplets and Perry has been busy making sure that the three little lambs had enough milk.

County Agent T. H. Royder of Travis county says the birth of triplets in a flock of ewes is not as rare as some persons might think, although the birth of more than one set of triplet lambs in one flock rarely takes place.

WACO COPS EAT RATTLESNAKES

City Comptroller J. Ed Johnson of Waco was host to members of the Waco Police Department at a rattlesnake dinner. Johnson hunts rattlers for sport when he is not busy writing checks for the city. The crop of snakes is large this year and he promised the Waco policemen that he would get the snakes for a real feast.

The cops ate the snakes, fried to a golden brown, but Johnson declined the delicious tidbits. "I just catch 'em" he said. "I don't eat 'em."

LOSES \$1,000 BILL IN TOILET

C. W. Gray of San Antonio dropped some money as he flushed the drain in a corporation court rest room in San Antonio and one of the bills fell into the water and was washed down the sewer. Gray, flight engineer at Kelly Field, near San Antonio, told police it was a \$1,000 bill that was washed away. He said the money was in his shirt pocket and fell into the water as he stooped to pick up a pencil.

MAD FOX CHASES CHILDREN

Two negro school children were chased up a tree by a fox believed to have had rabies in the Easton community northeast of Henderson. Guy Hale, public utility manager at Henderson, said the mad fox later bit a hog and a cow in the Easton community. Mad foxes have been reported in several sections in Rusk and other East Texas counties.

BIGGEST DUDE RANCH IN TEXAS

Texas soon will have another "biggest" to brag about. This will be the "biggest dude ranch in the world."

On recommendation of its president, F. L. Dahlstrom, the Texas Railway Equipment Company of Houston has bought for \$411,250 the 4,000 acres that for nearly a century comprised the old U. S. Cavalry post of Fort Clark near Bracketville. The old army post will be turned into one of the finest dude ranches in this country.

FLYER'S WAGE \$128,000,000

Johnny Plank, sophomore at Texas Christian University, has withdrawn from school to become a multi-millionaire. He is going to China to fly for former Major-General Claire L. Chennault, now operating a commercial air line there. Plank's salary will be \$128,000,000 a month. But there is a joker in the deal—his salary will be paid in Chinese dollars. In United States coin, his pay will amount to about \$850 a month, and he will get a bonus for extra flying time. Plank served with the Marines and flew military planes in China after the fighting ended.

FINDS LOST WATCH IN SHOE

Mrs. J. L. Miller of Mineral Wells lost her wrist watch. She advertised for it; had the police on the lookout about the pawn shops; she sought it everywhere.

After giving up all hope of recovering the treasured timepiece, she decided to wear a pair of slippers she had not worn for weeks. It was the pair she had worn when she had attended a program at Convention Hall and had kicked off her feet as soon as she reached her home.

As she pulled one of the slippers on, her toes hit something. She looked. It was her watch.

Then she remembered: She had taken the watch off her wrist and had kicked off her shoes as she sat beside her radio. The watch had fallen into the shoe.

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Its Contents torn out,
And Stript of its Lettering & Gilding,
Lies here, Food for Worms.
But the Work shall not be lost;
For it will, as he believ'd, appear once more
In a new and more elegant Edition
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FREEDOM TRAIN DOCUMENT—One of the most interesting documents carried on the Freedom Train, which made several stops in Texas and then passed on to other parts of the country, was the epitaph written by Benjamin Franklin. Dated August 31, 1776, this epitaph was written by Franklin in his own handwriting and given to Sam Morris of Philadelphia. Line by line, the epitaph (reproduced above) reads:

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Underneath the epitaph, also in Franklin's own handwriting, are the words:
Given by B. Franklin to Sam Morris
August 31, 1776.

N.B. It is his own handwriting.

The notation "N.B. It is his own handwriting" is the equivalent of the attestation of a Notary Public to a document today.

For the benefit of the thousands of persons in Texas who were not able to visit the Freedom Train and view the "Treasured Documents of Our American Heritage," enlarged photographic reproductions of the most important documents carried on the Freedom Train are being brought to Texas for display in banks and other institutions and for showing in the schools. These large photographic reproductions will be shown in many banks and schools all over the State as a public service.

BOY SCOUTS ON BOBCAT HUNT

Senior Scouts of ten Central Texas Boy Scout Troops, including Rockdale and other towns in that part of Texas, were guests on a cat hunt on the ranch of H. H. Coffield in Dimmitt county near the town of Catarina. The Diamond H Ranch owned by Coffield is well populated with mountain lions, javelinas, deer, coyotes and other animals. Eleven bobcats, two coyotes, and about 20 rattlesnakes were killed by members of the party.

FINDS BROTHERS IN 30-YEAR HUNT

Mrs. Mary Bacher of Atlantic Heights, N. J., found two brothers in Texas who didn't know she existed and didn't know they had another brother and sister living in Pennsylvania. The story begins in Greenville, S. C., in 1918, when their father, Sam Daderio, took two of his sons, Sam Jr., 5, and John, 3, for a walk. The father and boys did not return and were never heard from until their sister, Mrs. Bacher, located them through War Department records. Both had served in the war. John lives in San Antonio and Sam lives in Dallas.

U. T. GETS STONE FROM LONDON

Through the American and British Commonwealth Association, a stone from the British House of Commons has been presented to the University of Texas and placed in the Texas Memorial Museum. Each State capitol in the Union is receiving a memorial stone as a souvenir from the British people.

COOKE COUNTY CENTURY OLD

Cooke county, created by act of the Texas Legislature on March 20, 1848, observed its century-old birthday in fitting manner. On the county's birthday began a series of commemorative events that will continue through the summer and include the Cooke County Fair in September.

ROPE SAVES SNAKE VICTIM

Sherman Randall of the Lamkin community 12 miles west of Hamlin luckily carried a rope while out hunting. A large rattlesnake struck him three times, sinking its fangs into the calf of his leg. Taking the rope he made a tourniquet on his leg and walked a mile to the highway. He hailed a passing motorist who took him to a sanitarium in Hamilton. He will recover.

THE FLOP FAMILY



By SWAN

SPORTING News

NEW BUFFALO PITCHER MEETS HIS MANAGER

A salesman in the athletic goods department of Oshman's store in Houston greeted a customer with "What can I do for you?"

"I want to see some baseball shoes," replied the athletic appearing customer. The sale was made and the customer asked, "How about a toe plate?"

"Are you a pitcher?" asked the salesman. "What's your name?"

The customer was a pitcher. His name was Ross Grimsley, who has reported to the Houston Buffaloes for training. The salesman was Johnny Keane, manager of the Buffs.

Thus the Buff Manager met his new pitcher for the first time. Grimsley was passing through Houston on his way to St. Petersburg, Fla., to report to the St. Louis Cardinals. He has since joined the Buffs.

JUST CHANGE IN DIRECTIONS; NORTH INSTEAD OF SOUTH

L. W. McConachie, secretary of the Texas High School Coaches Association, earlier announced that Bobby Dodd of Georgia would coach the South and Matty Bell of Southern Methodist University would coach the North at the Texas Coaching School to be held at Abilene August 2-6.

Now it develops that Matty Bell will coach the South and Bobby Dodd will coach the North at the Abilene school. "Just a change in directions," remarked McConachie.

CARDINALS FIRST PICK; THEN DODGERS AND GIANTS

Manager Billy Southworth of the Boston Braves has warned the National League bosses that the St. Louis Cardinals will be the team to beat this season in the pennant race. The Cards have pitchers and everything needed to win, he said.

The Brooklyn Dodgers have a team good enough to win, he admitted, he placed them second and the New York Giants third.

DUCK FLIES 1300 MILES IN ONLY THREE DAYS

Arthur M. Bartley, executive director of Ducks Unlimited, gave a crowd attending the annual dinner of the Missouri Duck Hunters Association some interesting information about ducks.

In response to a question, "How fast do ducks fly?" Bartley said his organization banded a duck in Canada last Nov. 25.

Three days later the duck was killed in Missouri. It had flown approximately 1,300 miles.

Bartley also told how ducks are being slaughtered in Mexico by "armadas." These armadas consist of a row of hundreds of muzzle loading guns that are fired in concert into a flight of ducks, killing hundreds. Ducks so killed are sold openly before the hunting season legally begins, he said.

SPORTS WRITER PREDICTS TEXAS LEAGUE OUTCOME

George White, Sports Editor of The Dallas News, says a lot of crystal gazing is needed to forecast the final outcome of the Texas League this year. The many youngsters already in the team line-ups and plans of managers to acquire many additional players during the season the identity of whom is now unknown make any forecast a matter of guess. But the veteran sports writer predicts the eight teams will finish in this order:

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| 1. Fort Worth | 5. Houston |
| 2. San Antonio | 6. Shreveport |
| 3. Dallas | 7. Tulsa |
| 4. Oklahoma City | 8. Beaumont |

Clip this and save it until the final game is played and see how nearly correct the forecast is.

Babe Ruth, with 60 home runs made in 1927, holds the all-time major league high.

Pacific Coast League umpires have been given full authority to decide when the lights shall be turned on for night games under the restricted light plan due to power shortage.

Phog Allen, old Mr. Basketball of the University of Kansas, has suggested that college athletics need cleaning up and that a czar like J. Edgar Hoover of the F.B.I. should be hired for the job.

The Orange Bowl in Miami, Fla., and the Sugar Bowl in New Orleans are feuding over the possibility that the Southeastern Conference Champions may be pledged in advance to play in the Sugar Bowl's postseason classic.

The United States Golf Association has warned all colleges of the country of its new "purity code." Hereafter no golfer over 18 may accept scholastic favors because of his ability at golf without forfeiting his amateur standing.

TEXAS Farm News

An all-day pecan school to give instruction in pecan culture to orchardists was held on the Henry Freeman farm near Bay City, by J. F. Roseborough, Extension Horticulturist, and Paul Gregg, Extension Entomologist of the Texas A. & M. College. The instruction included culture and care of trees from the planting to the spraying and gathering of nuts.

The Rio Grande Horticultural Club is planning to sponsor the organization of the Texas Avocado Association. The organization will improve, promote and advance the growing and marketing of avocados in Texas. Dr. W. C. Cooper of the Valley Experiment Station said that 40,000 avocado seedlings are being propagated in the Valley now. Headquarters for the association will be at Weslaco.

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Water hemlock poisoning recently threatened livestock in Kent county. Treatment was given by local veterinarians, but no favorable results were shown on animals that had consumed large quantities of the plant. Complete eradication of water hemlock from pastures is necessary for complete control, according to entomologists of the Texas A. & M. College.

Bang's disease is reported in Refugio county, where cattlemen are battling to get the disease under control. Fifty herd owners have signed Bang's disease agreements with the Bureau of Animal Husbandry to have their herds tested by Federal veterinarians. All heifers used in breeding are being vaccinated with strain No. 19.

The Junior Livestock Association has been organized at Canyon, Randall county, to sponsor a Junior Livestock Show for members of the 4-H Clubs and Future Farmers of America.

The agricultural bulletin issued by the Rock Island Railroad estimates the Texas Panhandle wheat crop at between 30,000,000 and 40,000,000 bushels this year. The Panhandle has approximately 4,800,000 acres in wheat. This is 70 per cent of the total wheat acreage in Texas this year. Of the total Panhandle wheat crop, it is estimated that 60 per cent of the acreage was seeded and that 40 per cent of the crop is volunteer.

Truck gardeners in the Yoakum section of Texas have planted more than 2,500,000 tomato plants to replace those killed by the late March freeze. The acreage planted to tomatoes will be the largest in 20 years.

Ted L. Spencer of Gilmer has arrived in Saudi Arabia where he will be employed as an agricultural agent by the Arab Government. Prior to the war Spencer was County Farm Demonstration Agent in Morris county, living in Daingerfield. He enlisted at the outbreak of war and saw service as an officer in Italy, Sicily and Corsica.

Cash prizes totaling \$325 were presented to Future Farmers of America boys at Hearne at a meeting of the Hearne Chamber of Commerce and Robertson County Farm Bureau, joint sponsors of the contest. L. C. Degelia won first prize of \$132. He gathered 702.6 pounds of lint cotton per acre from 6 acres. Joe Reistino Jr. won second prize of \$81 by a yield of 662.4 pounds of lint cotton per acre from 9 acres.

L. G. Gregory, district soil conservationist, cites Edwin A. Meyer, who farms near Tynam in Bee county, as an ideal conservation cooperater. Meyer grows corn. He plants two rows of corn with two rows of Chinese red cow peas between. After he harvests corn in August, he runs a stalk cutter over the field to scatter corn stalks and pea vines over the ground. This is followed with disc plows and the stalks and pea vines are plowed under. A volunteer crop of cow peas soon comes up as a winter cover crop. This crop is turned under at spring plowing. Increased corn yield is the result.

Texas farmers should prepare now to combat a heavy 1948 crop of grasshoppers, Paul Gregg of Texas A. & M. College, self-styled "grasshopper leader," warns. He is in charge of the grasshopper control division of the Bureau of Entomology and plant quarantine, a joint undertaking of the Texas Extension Service and the United States Department of Agriculture. Each fall his operatives take a census over the State of grasshopper eggs. The census last fall showed a larger number of hopper eggs than in normal years and indicates a heavy infestation of grasshoppers in the cotton and corn belts.

The Humble Future Farmers of America in Harris county are getting ready for their second annual poultry show. In less than two years this chapter has acquired assets of approximately \$35,000, according to Justus Smith, vocational agriculture teacher and sponsor of the chapter. Value of individual poultry and livestock being made ready for the show is more than \$35,000. R. E. Carson, a member of the chapter, entered the champion calf in the Waller County Fair, and Fred (Sonny) Johnson, another member, fed two Brahma bulls for Pete Frost of Houston, one of which sold for \$5,000 at the Houston Fat Stock Show.

The 1949 Chamber of Commerce Junior Livestock Show and Sale will be held in Waco in January ahead of the livestock shows to be held in Fort Worth and Houston. Exact dates will be determined later, but the directors have decided that the show at Waco should be held well in advance of the large shows at Fort Worth and Houston.

More than one-half of the area of East Texas consists of forest lands. In 36 counties in the commercial timber belt, trees of value for industrial purposes grow on 57 per cent of the total land area. From these forests come lumber, paper, ties, poles, turpentine, resin, and many other valuable products.

Progressive, modern farm practices have built for Gilbert W. Liestman of Alief, Harris county, one of the outstanding dairy farms of South Texas. Pasture improvement programs adopted in 1935 have gone far in making the Liestman Dairy a South Texas leader. By carefully following this program, Liestman now has what is regarded as the best dairy pasture in Harris county. The pasture has been given application of 200 pounds of 20 per cent super phosphate every two years since 1935, and the 59 acres of grass will support 65 dairy cows the year round.

Deaf Smith county has harvested its first commercial sugar beet crop. The average yield is estimated at 13½ tons per acre and sugar content in samples tested runs as high as 19 per cent. All producers in the sugar belt contracted to sell their beets to the American Crystal Sugar Company of Rocky Ford, Colo. Growers were guaranteed a price of \$14.50 per ton based on 16 per cent sugar content.

Seven of the ten Jersey calves born in Hunt county as result of artificial breeding are heifers, according to J. E. Spradlin, technician for the Hunt County Artificial Breeding Association. All of the calves were sturdy and strong at birth, but two of them have been lost because of scours. The calves have developed rapidly and are classed by Spradlin as some of the best heifer calves he has ever seen.

Upshur county farmers, 4-H Club members and boys in the F.F.A. are being offered more than \$200 in prizes by the Gilmer Chamber of Commerce for the best yield in corn this year.

Spinach shipments from the Uvalde section are late because of the severely cold weather. J. B. Williams, Southern Pacific Railway agent, reports only 289 carloads shipped up to March 15.

C. C. Smith of Uvalde county has 150 acres of oats on which he is fattening 206 yearling heifers. The oat crop is on irrigated land and makes a fine pasture. Smith says he has found it more profitable to fatten heifers than steers because the heifers fatten faster and can be finished for market in a shorter time. In addition to the grazing on oats, the cattle are being fed ground hegar with 15 per cent cotton seed meal added. A home-made self-feeder, 54 feet long, built so that the cattle can feed from both sides, and holding 14 tons of feed, keeps food before the heifers at all times.

About 700 acres of irrigated land near Uvalde has been planted to spinach. This tract last year produced about 250 baskets of spinach to the acre. The spinach sold for about \$1.40 per basket.

Arrival of a shipment of cork tree acorns in Eagle Pass marks a forward step in the project of the Crown Cork & Seal Company to develop a domestic cork supply capable of meeting the present import demand for 160,000 tons of cork. Maverick county is a part of this project.

Twenty-two different varieties of cotton were planted about the end of March on a test plot on the Carl Richardson farm in the West Oslo Community in Nueces county. The cotton was planted by Richardson and Henry L. Alsmeyer, Nueces County Farm agent. Each variety was carefully marked as to location and careful check will be kept on yield, date of maturity, etc.

The changing picture of farm operations in Texas, from horse-drawn to mechanized implements, is clearly shown in statistics of the farm census taken by the Census Bureau. In 1920 Texas had 1,199,000 horses, 784,000 mules and only 9,048 tractors. In 1946 the State had 468,000 horses, 230,000 mules and 162,381 tractors. Since 1946 the trend has been more marked as the number of horses and mules has declined at a more rapid rate and the number of tractors has increased.

A calf with eight legs was born on the Rufe Oliver farm near Groesbeck. The calf also had three ears, but only two eyes. Dr. George Ragan said the calf was of mixed Jersey and Brahman breed and had two spinal columns and two intestinal tracts.

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In 1944 W. R. Booth, 48, earned a moderate salary as an employee of the United Gas Company in Houston. Today he is owner of one of the best hog ranches in Harris county located on a 46-acre tract near Spring. He bought the farm in 1944 for \$12,500. Last year he showed profit of \$20,000 by feeding hogs for the Houston market.

In 1919 a cattle raiser of the Texas Panhandle inserted an ad in the Amarillo News offering 520 cattle for sale, "mostly long yearling white-face steers and heifers of which about 60 head are over 2 years old" at \$55 per head. The price included 12½ sections of grass that would take care of 1,000 head of cattle to April 1. W. W. Anthony of Amarillo has the clipping and displayed it during the annual show of the Panhandle Livestock Association in Amarillo.

J. M. Huffington, owner of the Huffington Ranch near Hockley, on the Texas Gulf Coast, has exploded an old theory that rice products can not be fed successfully to cattle and horses. Huffington fed a mixture of rice bran and peanut hay to steers on his ranch and demonstrated that this is good for fattening livestock. The mixture costs him 2 cents a pound.



AT DEALERS

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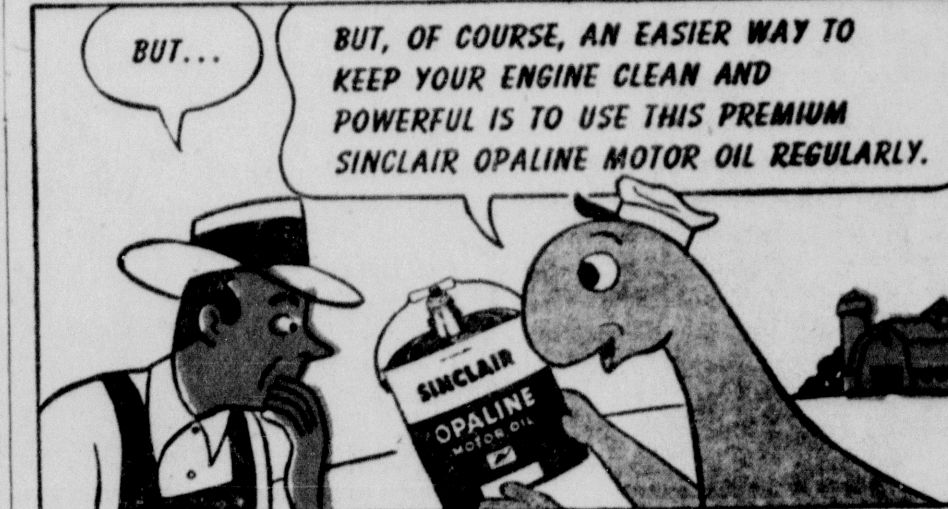
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By EDITH EUDORA KOHL
(Condensed from The Denver Post)

ONE MORNING last August at Pine Ridge, S. D., the Sioux were holding their famous sun dance. The sun beat unmercifully on the open prairie and the camp ground was almost deserted as the Indians rested in the shade of their tents.

Suddenly a loud booming voice roared over the grounds and rose to vehemence like a call to arms. Skirting the tepees in the direction of the voice I saw a tall, powerfully built Indian making gestures as he ranted to a small circle of Indians seated around him.

I stood fascinated as the exhorter swung his arms and shook his head, sweat trickling down the deep seams of his copper-colored face. The group surrounding him sat stoic, intent.

Old Rattlesnake
"Who is he?" I asked.

"Oh, don't you know him?" a paleface officer answered casually. "I thought everybody in this Indian country knew Old Rattlesnake. He's telling the Black Hills council, 'We should be free—run our own land, cattle-like white man, pay taxes like white man.'"

That evening with Levi Fast Horse, a young G. I., I traced the lion to his tepee where outside the open flap he and his to-wea (wife) were cooling off. As Levi explained our visit the old Sioux stopped the great eagle-wing fan he had been wielding, drew himself to a towering height and greeted us with the reserve of a Hindu rajah.

In thunderous chopped sentences that

made perfect accompaniment to the beating tom-toms, he gave out brief sketches of his life story.

Chief Thomas Steals Horses

His name, he revealed, is that of a great warrior, Chief Thomas Steals Horses. That family title, he explained without hesitation, had been bestowed with honor by the tribe when his father stole the railroad's mules.

"Union Pacific making road through Nebraska. White Father sends out soldiers with many guns. Drive Indians back. One dark night waka-na (father) drove off the company's work mules."

Though Thomas guesses he's "maybe about 79," others estimate that he is well into his 80's.

There was an exultant gleam in his eyes as he told how he got the nickname of Rattlesnake.

Snaps Off Snake's Head

"Rattlesnakes bad enemy, too, in old days. All over, they hide in thick grass. Kill many people and animals," he said. So he had made war on snakes.

How did he kill 'um? With set jaw and appropriate sweeps of an iron-muscled arm, he demonstrated first the stealth, the pussyfooting. Snakes slimy, too. Then quick he grab 'um by the tail, sling 'um like whipcracker. Crack their necks—just like that! He had other methods of attack, also, for different occasions.

In spite of his success with hundreds of the venomous rattlers, his to-wea, Ella (who speaks better English than he), says placidly: "Snakes no bite him. He not afraid of reptile, man nor beast!"



Old Rattlesnake, Sioux Indian Chief

ARE TURTLES DEAF, OR CAN THEY HEAR?

A question about the ability of a turtle to hear, posed by a third grade pupil of the Lytton elementary school in Palo Alto, just about stumped Dr. R. C. Miller, director of the California Academy of sciences.

"We want to know if turtles are deaf or if they can hear?" This question was put to Dr. Miller by the third grader. "We have two books about turtles," the third grader explained. "One book says they are deaf and the other book says they are not."

Dr. Miller found the two books, each written by a distinguished zoologist. One book said turtles could hear; the other book said there is no evidence that turtles can hear. But Dr. Miller finally came up with the answer.

Robert Dempster, aquatic biologist, went into the swamp room with the California aquarium's 26 turtles. He tried talking, shouting, clapping his hands and finally banging on a tin pan with an iron spoon, all without developing any evidence as to whether turtles are deaf or can hear.

Dr. Miller cautiously made this report for the benefit of the third grader:

"Our turtles pay no attention to ordinary noises. It is certain that their hearing is poor, and possibly they are completely deaf. On the other hand, their bodies are sensitive to vibrations coming through the ground or water. This probably explains why some books say turtles can hear and other books say they are deaf."

SOURCES OF PITCHBLEND

Best known source of uranium, vital mineral of the Atomic Age, is a compound called pitchblende. This product was mined at St. Joachimsthal, in old Austria, as early as 1517. Pitchblende mines in that section produced as much as 150,000 tons of crude uranium a year before the war.

The St. Joachimsthal mines have the historic distinction of supplying the pitchblende from which Madame Marie Curie isolated the first radium just 50 years ago. Radium exists in all uranium minerals. The St. Joachimsthal pits now are part of Czechoslovakia, and are known currently as the Jachymov mines.

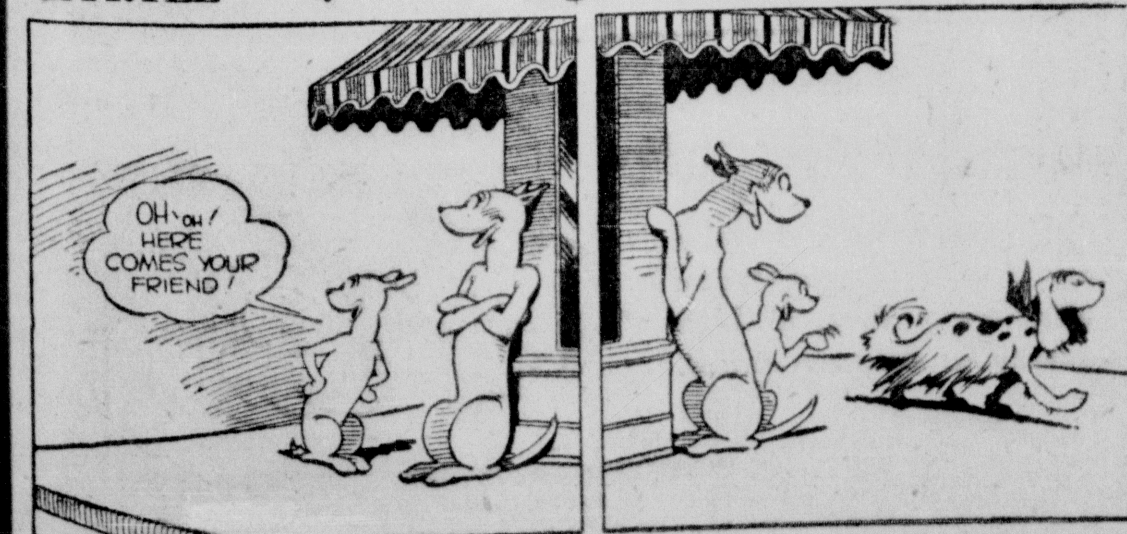
The Belgian Congo contains the largest proven pitchblende deposits. Elizabethville, near the mines, boomed during wartime to a town of 20,000 nearly all African natives. In 1940 it exported to the United States more than 1,000 tons of uranium ore.

Colorado has a record of pitchblende production. During the war the carnotite ores of Utah, Arizona, and Colorado were mined for their uranium content. Uranium ores also have been reported from most other parts of the world—Mexico, Brazil, Argentina, Chile, England, France, Germany, Sweden, Portugal, Spain, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Soviet Union, Rhodesia, Madagascar, India, Manchuria, China, and the Philippines.

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Vacation

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counties in Oklahoma. The lake impounds 5,813,000 acre-feet of water.

Built by the United States Army Engineers at an initial cost of \$54,000,000, this dam is designed to impound flood waters for flood control, municipal and industrial uses, electric power, irrigation and navigation. The lake is now under control of the Army Engineers.

Great Recreation Center

Lake Texoma has become one of the principal recreation centers in the Southwest. Texas and Oklahoma through appointment by the Governors of the two States, have created a committee to formulate uniform regulations to control fishing, camping and other recreational activities about the lake.

Stocked with fish from State and Federal hatcheries, the lake is recognized as among the best fishing lakes in the South, with bass, crappie, white perch, and channel catfish plentiful.

Camping areas have been designated on both sides of the lake, and ample camping facilities now are available at many of these sites. Other recreational facilities are being developed on both the Texas and Oklahoma shores. Many large cruising yachts and motor boats ply the waters of this 100-mile long lake, with a shoreline of nearly 1200 miles.

Possum Kingdom Dam

Also constructed as a multiple-purpose dam—for flood control, water conservation, electric power generation and recreation—Possum Kingdom Dam on the Brazos River above Mineral Wells is becoming one of the great recreation grounds of Northwest Texas.

The Possum Kingdom State Park is being developed on 6,970 acres surrounding the lake, with designated sites for intensive development on the east shore of the lake, 25 miles from Graham and Mineral Wells, and on the west shore, 25 miles from Breckenridge. Camp sites, cabins, complete fishing facilities, including motor and row boats, are available at both sites. Bass, crappie, catfish and perch afford good fishing along the east shore, while large-mouth black bass, crappie or white perch and channel catfish are along the west shore. Possum Kingdom Lake has been well stocked with bass and plans are to make this the greatest bass fishing ground in the Southwest. The 350-mile shoreline affords unexcelled opportunities for pole-fishing from the bank in water 20 to 30 feet deep.

Buchanan Lake

Buchanan Lake on the Colorado river near Llano, formed by one of the first multiple-purpose dams to be built in Texas, has been a favored fishing retreat for several years. This huge concrete dam, started by the Insular electric power interests and later taken over by the Lower Colorado River Authority, a State agency, and finished with funds provided by the Federal Government, stores flood waters of the Colorado river for flood control, for municipal and industrial use and also for electric power.

Inks Dam, a few miles below Buchanan Dam, built to make possible the use of water released from Lake Buchanan in operating the electric generators, a second time for the production of electric power also is a favorite fishing place.

Lake Travis, formed by Mansfield Dam (formerly known as Marshall Ford Dam) on the Colorado River, above Austin, impounds a larger volume of water than Buchanan Lake, but is less developed. Lake Travis impounds 1,963,000 acre-feet of water, while Buchanan Lake has 992,475 acre-feet. Lake Travis affords deep-water fishing and in time will become a better lake for bass than Buchanan.

Other Lakes in Texas

Many other smaller lakes are in all parts of the State, among which may be mentioned Lake Austin on the Colorado River, near Austin, Lake Kemp on the Wichita River near Wichita Falls, Lake Umbarger on Tierra Blanca Creek in Randall county, Lake Dallas on Elm Fork of the Trinity east of Denton, Mountain Creek Lake just west of Dallas, Lake Brownwood on Pecan Bayou near Brownwood, Lake Nasworthy on Concho River near San Angelo, Lake Scarborough on Indian Creek near Coleman, Lake Abilene, Lake Cisco. These and many other lakes in Texas afford recreation facilities for vacationers.

VEGETARIAN ANIMALS LIVE LONGEST

Here are some facts about animals that may cheer you on meatless Tuesday:

The only animals that live longer than man, the giant tortoise of the Galapagos and Seychelle Islands, are known to be vegetarians.

Longest-lived mammal, other than man, is the elephant, a vegetarian.

Parrots, holding the old-age record for birds are vegetarians. And it may be small comfort, but man's nearest relatives among animals, the great apes, are fruit-eating vegetarians.

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FISH PRODUCES ONLY FEMALE OFFSPRING

A fish which produces only female offspring and defies the efforts of scientists to find out why, is being studied by biologists at the University of California's Scripps Institution of Oceanography.

Mollinisia Formosa is its scientific name. It is called Amazon Molly for short. It is described by Dr. and Mrs. Carl Hubbs, of the Scripps Institution, in the Aquarium Journal.

Amazon Molly is a minnow a little over an inch long, found in streams of northern Mexico and Texas. Doctor and Mrs. Hubbs have collected them by thousands but never yet have found a male among them.

They tried crossing Molly with other species in an effort to give her a male heir. In twelve years of laboratory breeding these Amazonians have produced 2,000 offspring—all female.

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HOUSEHOLD HELPS

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DRESSED-UP POPCORN FOR PARTY

A new idea for popcorn as a party treat is to tint the popped corn in different shades with fruit coloring. Bright colors, such as red, green, yellow and chocolate are well suited for tinting the fluffy white kernels.

Children will delight in pretty pink and blue shades which can also be used. The corn can be popped in any kind of a popper. These are available in the five-and-ten-cent stores if you do not already have one. It is well to pop a goodly supply in advance and then color whatever amount is wanted of the various tints.

Texas and Oklahoma grow some of the finest popcorn in the country and a plentiful supply is always available in the stores. Corn already popped can be had in various sized packages if you do not wish to go to the trouble of popping it. Corn popping is a lot of fun for the youngsters, however, and will keep them busily engaged for a long time.

Crackle corn, a delicious confection, can be made in the following way: Take one-



COLOR POPCORN FOR PARTIES... Freshly popped popcorn can be tinted in attractive colors and arranged in many kinds of ways to add beauty and charm to the table for parties. Various flavors add zest to the flaky dish.

fourth cup of granulated sugar and about one-eighth teaspoon of salt. Heat two tablespoonsful of salad oil or shortening until it begins to stir in the pan. Add one-half to one cup of popcorn to the heated shortening. When corn begins to pop, add the sugar and salt. This momentarily delays the popping. Watch heat and keep temperature just right to prevent corn from burning. The sugar glazes the corn and gives it a sweet taste. When corn is all popped pour into bowl and serve.

Another delicious popcorn treat can be made with peanut butter. This gives the corn a peanut butter flavor. Take one-half cup of popcorn, two tablespoons peanut butter and one tablespoon of oil or shortening and enough salt to savor. Heat the oil or shortening and peanut butter together and when heated add the popcorn, stirring constantly. Be careful to keep heat at proper temperature so corn will pop but not burn.

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idea to place a huge bowl of popped corn in the center of the room—a large punch bowl is suggested—and give each guest a large paper cup so he can have his own supply of the goodie. Large size paper drinking cups make excellent popcorn serving dishes. It is a good idea to have plenty of paper napkins handy too.

Freshly popped corn is good too when served with celery salt instead of regular salt as the celery flavor adds zest to the dish. Some gourmets even like the unusual flavor of garlic or onion salt on popcorn. For something different try popping corn in bacon drippings. The bacon flavor is zesty.

HOW TO CARE FOR YOUR SKIN

How does your skin behave? asks Helen Follet, New York beauty writer. Does it go about its business of making you a pretty girl? Or, does it have tantrums, get rough and red, make you as mad as all get out? Perhaps you are not doing your duty by it. It has lots to contend with, atmospheric dust, harsh winds, even tummy upsets. You can't expect it to get along on its own.

Use a cream every night of your life to keep it soft and smooth; the friction necessary for the application of an oily cosmetic gives the tissues and underlying fibers a little work out. Blood streams hustle up, provide good coloring. Be fussy about the powder you use, and don't lay it on too lavishly, or grind it into the flesh with the pad. If sebaceous glands are pouring out

an over-supply of oil, use plenty of cold water and an astringent.

A complexion that doesn't look as well as it might should be treated from within as well as without. Health and vitality are factors. You should drink plenty of water; some skins flake because the flesh is thirsty. Cut down on pastries, eat fruit instead. Have a green salad once a day. Begin the day with orange or tomato juice; they are of wonderful cosmetic value.

Every day get some sort of exercise out of doors to tone and strengthen your whole system. Your skin needs the stimulus of pure, active blood streams.

There is the important matter of sleep. Cut down on sleep and you are likely to look into the mirror, see a gray countenance reflected there.

FOOD GARDENS IMPORTANT NOW

In a recent statement, Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson called upon the Nation's home gardeners to continue their aid in meeting the critical world needs for food.

Twenty million Freedom Gardens is recommended as the minimum goal for 1948. These gardens can be tremendously significant in adding to our total domestic food supply... and the produce from them can take the place of many foods vitally needed for export.

While it is not difficult to have a big-producing garden, there are a few things that should be considered for finest results.

First, of course, comes the soil. Is it fertile? To answer, "yes," here is what to do:
1. Keep up humus content of the soil by sowing clover crops and working them into soil. Or, if this is not convenient, provide humus in the form of peat moss, manure or compost materials.

2. Test soil and maintain correct pH

(acid and alkaline balance of the soil). For the average vegetable garden, a pH range of 6.0 to 7.5 is all right. Simple soil testing outfits are available at small cost from garden supply stores.

3. Feed vegetables with a complete plant food. It will help get full-flavored, highly nutritious vegetables—an all-round bigger and better crop.

After having taken your soil into account, make a plan. A well-thought-out plan will determine the proper amount of seed. Then order seed early, and also place an early order for plant food and an insecticide and fungicide.

The plan should provide for an adequate succession of vegetables in the garden to keep the family table well supplied at all times. The rotation of crops also should be considered from a year-to-year basis because a good rotation will lessen disease and insect infestation.

TESTED RECIPES

Outdoor meals are summer's favorites. For city dwellers they are an escape, and for country folk they are part of the weekly schedule.

If you are fortunate in having an outdoor grill or a picnic ground nearby, outdoor meals may be an almost every day occurrence.

An outdoor meal is a fine way in which to entertain unexpected guests. Spreads for picnic sandwiches may be made in advance and stored in covered jars in the refrigerator.

Two spreads suggested here to go with picnic foods are "Barbecue Spread" to top bologna and cheese, and "Apple Peanut Butter," delicious by itself between crackers or bread.

Barbecue Spread

2 tablespoons shortening 1/4 teaspoon dry mustard
1/2 cup water 1/4 teaspoon garlic salt
1/2 cup catsup 1/4 teaspoon pepper
1/2 cup tomato sauce 2 tablespoons chopped green pepper
2 tablespoons chili sauce 2 tablespoons chopped sweet pickle
2 tablespoons salt 2 egg yolks

Melt shortening in saucepan; remove from heat and blend in flour until smooth. Slowly stir in water and return to heat; cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Remove from heat; blend in remaining ingredients. Continue cooking and stirring

Apple Peanut Butter

4 tablespoons peanut butter 1/2 cup finely chopped apples, pared
1 tablespoon mayonnaise
Soften peanut butter and blend with mayonnaise. Add lemon juice to freshly pared apples, mix apples thoroughly through peanut butter. Store in refrigerator until ready to use. Makes about 1 cup of spread.

Hamburgers

2 pounds ground beef 2 eggs
1 cup bread crumbs 1/2 cup milk
2 tablespoons chopped onion 1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon pepper 1 tablespoon chili sauce

Mix the bread crumbs which have been softened in the milk, the onion and the eggs. Add the seasonings and mold into the meat with the fingers. Divide into patties—about six to two pounds that are about one-half to three-quarters of an inch thick—or thicker if you like them really rare. Saute with a little butter or grill them over the coals. These are usually served with a helping of fried onions and some home fried potatoes.

Cottage Cheese Salad Balls

2 cups cottage cheese 1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup chives 1/2 cup finely chopped
1/2 cup onion 1 cup corn flakes

Drain cottage cheese until very dry. Add salt, chives and pimiento; mix well. Shape into small balls; roll in slightly crushed corn flakes. Serve at once as a garnish with a tossed vegetable salad.

Yield: 9 balls (1 1/2 inches in diameter).

Shopping Day Supper

A good shopping day supper can be whipped up in a hurry in half an hour. Before you go out, open one or more cans containing spaghetti and meatballs. Arrange in a baking casserole alternate layers of spaghetti and sliced meatballs. This may be left in the ice box until you return from shopping. Then sprinkle with cheese and bake in a moderate oven for half to three-quarters of an hour.

Breakfast Delight

An apple breakfast cake baked the night before drives dullness from the breakfast menus. Place dots of margarine or butter in the bottom of a baking pan and add chopped sweetened apples with perhaps a flick of cinnamon or nutmeg. For the batter, add 1/2 cup sugar and a beaten egg to a good recipe for drop biscuits. Spread this dough over the apple mixture and bake in a moderately hot oven (400 degrees Fahrenheit) 25 minutes. This coffee cake makes a good dessert for luncheon or dinner as well.

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When bath towels become dingy, put them in a broiler of cold water, add soap and a little

lemon juice and heat to the boiling point. Rinse in lukewarm bluing water and then hang in the sun.

Fruit Cup Serves Five

One large grapefruit, peeled and sectioned, along with an orange that has been peeled and sliced and one cup of seeded halved Malaga grapes make a fruit cup that will serve five. Sugar may be added to taste.

Stains on Lace Pieces

Stain removal techniques are the same for lace tablecloths and doilies as for linen and such, except that they should be handled with great care. After stain removal, the cloths or mats should be measured so that they can be eased back to size when drying or ironing. When lace pieces are washed with other articles, they should be put in a bag or a pillowslip to avoid catching in hook or buttons.

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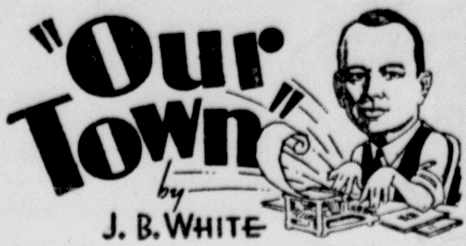
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Minority Rule

Democracy is faring badly these days in Imperial Texas. Here is what R. O. Zollinger of the Austin American thinks about the practice of the citizens who remain away from their Precinct Convention:

The case for and against Democracy can be expressed in such simple episodes as the precinct conventions held Saturday. Democracy begins and ends, in its larger view, at these conventions. They are both the beginning and end of citizenship in interest in their political affairs.

The majority is said to rule—the informed opinions of the enlightened majority who will express themselves.

But the majority did not win in the precinct conventions held Saturday. The majority lost. The minority won. It won because interests unfavorable to a majority expression propagandized the citizens of these precincts, or because the citizens themselves could not accept such an assignment as being custodians of the Democratic principles in which they profess to believe, or because they yielded to a bogus issue.

And so from 1-25th to 1-35th of the voting strength of these boxes was absent.

The voters stayed at home. They went elsewhere. They couldn't be bothered. Why? If one should ask them, he would get something of a reply like this: "Politics is dirty business. I don't want to be identified with it." Or, "We are planning to go elsewhere. I don't have the time." Or, "I don't know."

And so a small, minuscule fraction of citizens determine the policies to be pursued by these conventions. For those who have taken an interest are there. Those who have been "bogus-ed" into an acceptance of the top political fringe's efforts to deliver the votes of Texas to the corporate interests who are the absentee economic dictators of Texas were there.

But where were the rest? Where were the citizens who cannot have escaped being acquainted with the issues? They were not there. And so the decisions were made by from 1-25th to 1-35th of the voting strength of the boxes, a sorry commentary on Democracy at work in Texas.

Truth to tell, time was when the people of Texas and the South couldn't go anywhere else but the Democratic Party. It had become a traditional cloak protecting their rights against the exploiters of their economy, who now have become the exploiters of their political life to the extent that Republicans infiltrating into the Democratic party of Texas together with those who once were Democrats, sought office as Democrats and now are the stooges of absentee ownership, not only have become the blacksliders of tradition, but are willing to pack precinct conventions to stop a nomination of a Democrat for the presidency and instead throw the election to their bosses, the Republican party.

And they do it because Texans, with the rich traditions of Texas, once victims of the carpet baggers, now are too indifferent to protect their rights.

They do it because from 1-25th to 1-35th of the voters in the precinct boxes stay at home.

Texans are being blinded by propaganda as vicious as that of Hitler or Mussolini. They believe the out-of-state corporations, who now are cinching in 1948 what they conducted as a laboratory experiment in 1944 when they tried to disenfranchise a million Texas Democrats, are the only people who have any sense, that Texans don't know how to exercise their Democratic prerogatives and must have the vassals of these Republican corporations tell them how to operate their affairs, and yield the fruits of the Texas economy in doing it.

The times are hard for Democracy. Its creed revolves around freedom and recognition of the human dignities. In the Southland, expressed through the party, Democracy once was a way of life. Southerners then remembered.

Now they are being manipulated by many so-called Democrats in the hierarchy of so-called Democratic (turn to page six)

Plea Is Made to End Dust From Streets

The Herald has been requested by a number of business men and also a number of citizens to voice an appeal to the City Council to remove the sand and gravel from the paved streets in the mercantile area to stop the harmful dust now blowing into stores and shops.

It appeared likely that the Council might soon be able to wash the streets since the sand and gravel apparently has stopped the flow of tar placed as a base last winter.

The city government no doubt will do what it can immediately to remove the dust menace since there seems no likelihood of it serving any useful purpose. The Herald always tries to be helpful. This suggestion may not be appreciated by all but it is certain that the great majority are hopeful that something may be done at once.

Considerable damage may have already resulted and in addition a great deal of annoyance.

Draft Bill Reaches Floor of Congress

A Peace Time draft bill reported out of the Armed Services Committee of the House was advanced to a vote stage early Tuesday in Congress when the House of Representatives got its first glimpse of the new legislation.

The committee reported the Bill out 28 to 5. It is designed to help build an armed force of 2 million men.

Men from 18 to 30 will have to register and those from 19 through 25 will be liable for draft for 2 years. Most veterans will be exempt temporarily.

The Senate was working on a bill to train 18 year old boys for military reserves.

James Markham Quits Journalism Post At Baylor University

James W. Markham, for the past two years assistant professor of journalism at Baylor University, has resigned effective Sept. 1, 1948, to become assistant professor in the school of journalism of the University of Missouri.

His successor has not yet been named.

Markham will teach reporting in the Missouri school, and supervise the reporting laboratories. Journalism students at Missouri write and edit the Columbia Missourian, one of the two newspapers in the city of approximately 40,000.

While at Baylor, Markham, besides his teaching duties, has been faculty advisor of the Daily Lariat and professional advisor of the undergraduate chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity.

Markham was graduated from the University of Texas with a bachelor of journalism degree, and received a master of arts degree in English from the Austin school. He taught journalism for eight years in Austin High School, where the school newspaper under his sponsorship won the "best-edited" award of the Texas High School Press Association for six of the eight years.

Other positions Markham has held since graduation include: reporter on the Fort Worth Press; reporter-photographer on the Dallas Journal; executive secretary of the State Board of Control; and editorial co-ordinator of the University of Texas student publications.

More than 30 articles written by Markham have appeared in Texas and national magazines and reviews. Mr. Markham is the son of W. W. Markham of Cameron and a brother of Calvin C. Markham of Cameron.

Jester Forces Win Convention Fight

Despite isolated opposition, notably in McLennan, Travis and Coryell counties, Governor Beauford Jester will be able to organize and control the State convention at Brownwood on May 25.

The Convention will name delegates to the National Convention uninstructed with a condemnation of the policies of President Truman on the so called civil rights bill and the tide lands fight. Texas will also plead for the restoration of the two thirds rule on nominations in the national convention.

Seeks Re-Election



SENATOR KYLE VICK

STATE SENATOR POINTS TO HIS GOOD RECORD

Kyle Vick, State Senator for the 13th District of which Milam County is a part, is a candidate for re-election subject to the Democratic nominating Primary on Saturday, July 24.

The people of Milam county will be pleased to know that Senator Vick is to seek another term because he has done more than any other legislator in history for this part of the district. In announcing for re-election Senator Vick said:

In announcing for re-election to the State Senate from the 13th Senatorial District composed of Falls, Limestone, Milam and McLennan Counties, I do so with the feeling that the people of this district know that I have honestly and conscientiously served them to the best of my ability, without discrimination as to any interest, group or class, at all times trying to represent, as far as possible, all of the people of this District. I also feel that the people recognize the fact that my prior experience as their Senator has better qualified me to represent them in the future, and that my reputation for honesty and fair dealing is unimpeachable.

My record reflects that I have consistently supported the school property (turn to page twelve)

ALVIN VOLTIN SUCCUMBS IN TEMPLE HOSPITAL

Alvin Voltin, owner of the Red Circle Club at Barclay on the Highway between Rosebud and Temple, died late Friday morning in a Temple Hospital.

Voltin was ambushed as he sat at a table in his club. The assailant who escaped fired at Voltin through a window. Buckshot entered his head, neck and stomach. He regained consciousness only at intervals after reaching the hospital.

Voltin's murderer pressed the barrel of the shot gun against screen wire at the window. A few feet away Voltin sat with customers in the club.

Officers were at a loss to explain the shooting, they said. Voltin was never able to respond to questions.

Shortly after the fatal wounding of the night club owner a car sped away from the circle. The car left in the direction of Temple. Seven customers in the club escaped injury.

H. A. FONVILLE HERE TO START INDUSTRY

H. A. Fonville of Wichita Falls is here to superintend final details of the opening of his wood mill.

Mr. Fonville could not be contacted Saturday morning but said that the opening time is at hand and he will have something to say about the new industry early next week.

The mill is located on the Buckholts road on property recently acquired by Mr. Fonville. Before the decision was made to locate here a canvas was made of timber resources and many contracts were signed by land owners.

The mill here will make timbers for boxes and crates now in great demand. The Cameron area is well suited for this mill since suitable timber resources are in this section especially along the rivers and creeks.

PERMIT TOTAL HERE \$66,285

MILAM DEMOCRATS UNINSTRUCTED

ROAD MONEY IS ALLOCATED

\$30,000 CHURCH HERE TOPS APRIL BUILDING

Building permits issued by the city during the month of April totaled \$66,285 it was disclosed here Wednesday by W. W. Stafford, city secretary.

The largest permit was for the construction of the Assembly of God Church under Rev. Smith and this construction calls for \$30,000.

The remainder of the total for the month is for homes, one for \$8,000 and the remainder for repairs and additions.

Construction on the new church may be delayed since Rev. Smith was injured in a plane crash. This church is to be erected of stone or granite and will be a very attractive edifice for the city.

Home building is pacing the construction volume here. Costs have not deterred many from going ahead.

OTIS T. JONES BURIED LITTLE RIVER SUNDAY

Otis T. Jones, 43, died in Galveston on Saturday morning, May 1 and the body was received in Cameron for burial Sunday, May 2nd.

Mr. Jones was a native of Jones Prairie, born March 25, 1905 and was the son of the late pioneers, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones. The town of Jones Prairie was named for the pioneers of his family. Mr. Jones had been ill for five days.

For the past 20 years Mr. Jones had resided in Galveston where he was engaged in business.

Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. Sunday, May 2 at Little River Baptist Church at Jones Prairie with the Green Funeral Home in Cameron directing arrangements. Rev. Donald Rose, Pastor Little River Baptist Church, officiated. Interment was made in the family burial plot in the cemetery at the historic church.

Surviving are two daughters Misses Peggy Lee and Patsy Jones of Galveston; three sisters, Mrs. P. H. Love of Greenville; Mrs. E. V. Wright of Robstown, and Mrs. Robert Glenn of Jones Prairie; five brothers as follows. Hardy Jones of Dallas, John C. Jones of Corpus Christi, Monroe Jones of Freeport, Bailey Jones of Jones Prairie and Barmore Jones of Corpus Christi.

Pall bearers were Ray Lester, Eddie Todd, Luther Todd, C. G. Crook, Homer Crook and Merlin Lester.

NEGRO IS BADLY WOUNDED IN FIGHT

Jim Staten, Branchville negro, is in Newton Memorial Hospital, with a slashed throat and Ervin Lewis, a Temple negro, is in jail awaiting disposition of charges of assault with intent to murder.

Sheriff Carl C. Black made the arrests. According to the Sheriff the negroes became embroiled in the fight when Staten drew a gun and attempted to shoot Lewis. It was then that Ervin Lewis attacked Staten with a knife. In the fight Eugene Lewis was wounded and taken to the hospital.

Willard Woolridge, Babe Ruth Jones, Jim Staten and Hosea Hunt, all from Branchville, and Erving Lewis of Temple and Eugene Lewis of Cameron were involved. Hosea Hunt and Babe Ruth Jones have been released from jail.

Willard Woolridge and Erving Lewis are still in jail. Lewis having been transferred there from the hospital where he was treated for wounds.

According to Sheriff Black wounds inflicted on Staten are serious and charges will have to be held in abeyance until his condition is ascertained.

PRAISE AND CONDEMN PRESIDENT TRUMAN

Milam County Democrats are for an uninstructed delegation to the National Democratic Convention and are so pledged to vote in the State Convention in Brownwood.

In a harmonious convention here Tuesday, May 4 they both praised and condemned the policies of President Truman and adopted a strong resolution pledging support to the Tidelands fight and pledged the delegates to fight for "home rule and civil liberties in the south."

The convention praised President Truman for his efforts to stem the tide of Communism. The convention also called for the restoration of the two thirds rule in the national convention in the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President "to regain for the South its rightful representation in the Democratic Party."

Chas. M. Hicks who called the convention to order, was made permanent Chairman and Hinton H. Pruett of Milano was named Secretary of the Convention.

J. B. White, County Democratic Chairman, was unable to attend the convention.

Shortly after the convention was organized Emory B. Camp moved that Chairman Hicks name a committee to present a list of Delegates to the State Convention and also a Committee on Resolutions.

Mr. Hicks named H. H. Coffield of Rockdale to hear the Committee on Delegates and the following to serve with him: J. D. Link of Walkers Creek; E. B. Martin of Burlington (turn to page six)

O. J. THOMAS HIGH IS STATE MEET WINNER

O. J. Thomas High School in Cameron has attained another high rank in Inter-scholastic League Competition to add to laurels from the past.

This time the Cameron school, named for O. J. Thomas, now on the faculty at Prairie View College, has been declared the best all around Class A high school in the state.

It all happened at Prairie View on Saturday. The school won 35 points in literary events and 23 in track and field. This commanding lead won for them the meet. The local school conceded 4 points to Wharton in athletic events but where it counts most in education the local students under C. L. Sadbury, Principal, made a clean sweep of things in the literary events.

James Petty, outstanding athlete was high point man in the state with 11½ points in track and field events.

In all 20 students from the school here represented O. J. Thomas high. The record this year in the state meet is one of the most impressive in the long history of the colored high school.

EDUCATORS TO MEET IN CAMERON FRIDAY

Teachers in the system of Distributive Education having to do with the Vocational Schools for veterans, will convene in Cameron on Friday, May 7 it was announced by Chas. M. Hicks, county superintendent and Co-ordinator for the Milam county schools.

Mr. Hicks said that some 40 teachers will be here. They represent the Waco area. It is a regular Bi-Monthly Convention and they have been meeting in various cities and the first time Cameron has been host to the teachers.

They will meet at the Vocations Educational Building and will have their noon meal at Cato's Cafe.

Printing is a home industry.

MILAM COUNTY GETS A SMALL SHARE FUNDS

Thirty-million dollars has been allocated to 8 central Texas counties by the State Highway Department for highway construction during the next five years.

The money is made possible by recent federal aid funds and the funds set up for the coming 5 year program will be used on highways.

No portion of the funds are for farm to market roads. The Highway Department has made many allocations to improve and to extend present

How It Looks Through The Dust

Milam county has nothing pending so here is the way it was set up in allocating funds for highways:

Bell County \$5,290,000

Falls County \$3,065,000

Milam County \$914,000

highways in many sections of the state.

Milam county will get only \$914,000 of the 30 million total while Bell county will get \$5,290,000. Falls county will get \$3,065,000 and this might indicate construction on Highway 77 otherwise Milam county would share but little in the program. Since Milam county is to receive less than a million it may be that no construction is included but since three highways cross the county it is possible that some construction will ensue.

Highway 77 and 36 are in a bad state of repair across Milam. In Falls county Highway 77 is in a worse condition.

Here are the figures for 8 Central Texas counties: Bell \$5,290,000; Falls \$3,065,000; Milam County \$914,000; McLennan County \$7,548,000; Hamilton County \$470,000; Coryell County \$775,000; Bosque County \$2,160,000; Williamson County \$7,325,000.

GOVERNMENT SEIZURE OF LINES PREDICTED

Negotiations between government and labor collapsed late Tuesday and the railroad strike set for Tuesday, May 11 may be staged as scheduled.

The only possibility that the nation's transportation lines can be kept open will be seizure by the President who still has authority under Defense Transportation act.

If the strike is staged 190 thousand engineers, firemen and switchmen will walk out. A number of the railroad unions have accepted the wage offers tendered but after 5 days in Washington the three among the major unions have not accepted.

Frank Douglas, chairman of the mediation board, was reported to be on his way to Washington Wednesday to report to President Truman who has been watching the Chicago conferences.

Davilla Votes To Send Uninstructed Delegation

Davilla Democrats in Convention on Saturday, May 1 voted to favor an uninstructed delegation from Texas to the National Convention but pledged support to the nominee of the convention.

Only three Precincts reported with instructions. They were Rockdale, uninstructed; Jones Prairie, instructed, and Davilla uninstructed.

Gus Beckhusen of Milano is a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Personal Mention

Excessive tidiness is said to indicate a mild form of insanity, for which most newspapermen are happily immune.

Mrs. Henry Brown is spending a few days this week with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cornelius of Lamesa.

Mrs. Anton Mikula is resting well where she is a patient at Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allen of Lufkin.

Mrs. Grady Stidham, district vice-president of P-TA attended district conference held in Georgetown this week. The district board members were honored on Monday night with a dinner. On Tuesday a reception was held with Mrs. J. Coy Williams assisting in the hospitalities. On Tuesday night a banquet was held when Rev. William D. Daugherty of Temple spoke on "World Understanding."

Mrs. George Salyer and son are planning to spend a few days of next week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Salyer in Ponca City, Oklahoma.

When daughter completes her course at the finishing school, it may be the daughter who gets the diploma, but it is dad who gets the finishing.

Will Vaughn and Henry Hill of Cameron and Will Harris of Wilson attended the funeral of Mrs. Elzie Dobbins at Roswell, New Mexico Tuesday of this week. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church at Roswell. She was born and reared in and around Milam county.

Miss Agnes Macal, Bennie Mikula, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richter and sons spent Sunday in Galveston.

Mrs. Juanita Thomas, post mistress of Gause attended the postmasters convention in Dallas Monday of the past week.

Mrs. Jesse Brock and Mrs. T. E. Crump made a business visit to Marlin Tuesday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Andrew J. Moore and family of Van Couver, Washington spent the past week in the home of his mother, Mrs. Emma Moore of Cameron.

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42 PARTY

There will be a 42 party at the Knight's Columbus Hall Friday night, April 30. The party is sponsored by a group of the boy scouts. The public is cordially invited. 30-ltc

Mrs. Roy Terry is seriously ill in the Marlin Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Stutts and two children from Houma, Louisiana, spent several days last week with his sister, Mrs. Ada Pratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Chandler and Charles spent Sunday in Houston visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kasper.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheller of Harlingen spent the past week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bailey of Cameron.

Mrs. John Thweatt and Mrs. Jimmy Thweatt of Maysfield were Cameron visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Thompson is a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Westbrook and children of Hearne visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Robinson recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Underwood from Norfolk, Virginia visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Chandler the past week end.

Mrs. Homer Allen is ill and a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. V. A. Kubecka and sister, Mrs. E. J. Kahler and three sons, Clayton, Charles and Jimmy, visited in Austin Sunday in the home of Mrs. Kubecka's son, Louis Kubecka and family.

"Money is the root of all evil"—that's why we have to dig for it. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Reynolds of Cameron visited Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds of Mart Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Adams is a patient in St. Edwards Hospital. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

James Kirk of Harlingen spent the past week end in Cameron with his relatives and friends.

Mrs. Yale Rice and baby of Amarillo and Mrs. Reavis and baby of San Antonio are visiting in the home of Mrs. J. L. Slaughter in Cameron a few days.

Fred Brookman a former resident of Cameron and now Deputy Service Officer for the State Department of the American Legion, visited in Cameron early this week and while here spent some time with his old friend, Emmett Streetman.

Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth and grand son, Summer Hollingsworth, Jr. and Mrs. Jim Bandy and small son, Jim, Jr. of Wells Nevada are here on a few days visit with their relative, Mrs. Emma Butts.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Fellow from one of those public opinion polls was in Andy's Garden Tavern, querying Andy's patrons on everything from that "new look" to the next election.

And it occurred to me that there's nothing more typically American than collecting other folks' opinions, as well as giving out with one's own. And from where I sit, it's a mighty healthy habit.

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with cider, or the larger issues of party versus party—we're sure of the individual liberty that has made this country great.

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Joe Marsh

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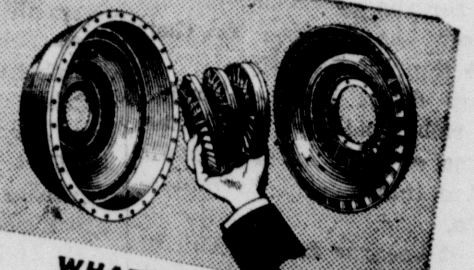
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VFW Auxiliary Will Give Box Supper In Park Here May 6th

A call meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary VFW was held in the Knight's Pythis Hall Thursday, April 29.

During the business meeting plans for a box supper was discussed. The supper will be at the city park May 6. Also there were several committees appointed as follows: Relief committee, Mrs. Esta Manning and Mrs. Alice Killen; Hospital committee, Mrs. Sallie Slaughter and Mrs. Audell Horstmann; Membership and Investigation committee, Mrs. Mae Dodson; Publicity chairman, Mrs. Sammie Lee Miller.

Following the meeting the past president, Mrs. David Shapiro was presented with the past President's pin and a lovely cake. A social hour followed.

Printing is a home industry.

Miss Aileen Hollas Is Graduate Nurse

Miss Aileen Hollas was among 18 student nurses who received diplomas from the Providence hospital, school of nursing, in Waco Sunday.

Rev. J. J. Kearns of Waco conferred the diplomas and gave the baccalaureate address.

Miss Hollas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hollas of Cameron and a graduate of Yoe High School in Cameron.

Lucian Kruse Will Have Part In May 8th A&M Show

COLLEGE CTATION—Participating in the Agriculture and Engineers Day at Texas A&M College May 8 will be Lucian Kruse, a junior animal husbandry major at the college.

He has the job of superintendent of the roping contest of the Little Southwestern Livestock Show.

STASSEN AND TAFT IN STRUGGLES FOR OHIO

MONTGOMERY, Ala.—Southern Democrats focused their attention on Alabama tonight as the first testing ground for a battle against President Truman and his civil rights program.

The question of segregation will be the principal issue tomorrow when Alabama voters mark their ballots in a Democratic primary. They will elect 26 national convention delegates and nominate candidates or Presidential electors and one seat in the U. S. Senate, and eight in the House of Representatives.

Governor James E. Folsom's political strength will be at stake, too. A Presidential candidate himself, he is running for convention delegate and trying at the same time to put his own candidate in the U. S. Senate in place of John Sparkman, who holds the office now.

If Folsom wins his race for delegate, he says he will campaign in other States for the Presidential nomination.

Some Southern Democratic leaders are trying to block Mr. Truman both at the convention and in the electoral college.

Fellowship Day To Feature Luncheon On Friday, May 7

May Fellowship Day sponsored by the United Council of Church women will take the form of a luncheon being planned for Friday, May 7 at 1 o'clock. This big social meeting of the year will be held in the basement of the First Methodist church and about 100 women are expected to attend. Mrs. John Henderson is chairman of the Fellowship Day plans and has announced the following committee to assist her: Mrs. Albert Collins, Episcopal Church; Mrs. J. L. Calloway, Christian Church; Mrs. B. F. Robinson, Presbyterian church; Mrs. O. B. Beasley and Mrs. O. B. Horstmann, Methodist Church; and Mrs. Franklyn Dusek, Baptist church.

Mrs. R. L. Lemons is president of the council of Church women and Mrs. L. W. Smith is vice president and chairman for the program of the day. Mrs. Stanley Swift is assisting by securing an out of town speaker for the day.

Buddy Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thompson is a surgery patient in St. Edwards Hospital.

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Rev. Joseph Hegar Funeral In Temple At 2 p. m. Tuesday

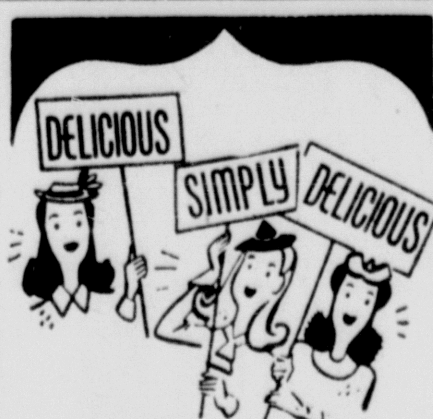
Funeral services for Rev. Joseph Hegar, 60, minister of the Czech Moravian church the past 22 years, who died Sunday at 6:40 p. m., in a local hospital following a cerebral hemorrhage suffered in Austin Friday morning, will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the Czech Moravian church in West.

Rev. Joseph A. Barton of Belleville, Mr. Hegar's nephew, will officiate, assisted by Rev. F. J. Kostohryz of Temple and Rev. H. E. Beseda of Caldwell. Burial will be in the Czech Moravian cemetery of West. Pace funeral home in charge.

Pallbearers in Temple will be elders of the congregation. They are Ed J. Sebesta, William J. Chupik, Louis Havlik, John Hluchan, Tom Chupik and Frank Spahnel.

Pallbearers in West will be the six ministerial students of the church. —Temple Telegram.

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Mrs. C. H. Barmore of Bryan spent the past week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barmore of Cameron. They were accompanied home by Mary Burns of Cameron, who plans a few days visit with them.

E. W. Goldfarb and Irving Fabrikant have returned from a business trip to New York, Boston and New Bedford, Mass.

The Ada Henderson boy's choir entertained the patients in McCloskey Hospital in Temple Friday evening at 7:00 p. m. with a musical program. 35 boys made the trip with their director, Miss Dorothy Darlington. A number of the parents present also attended the program.

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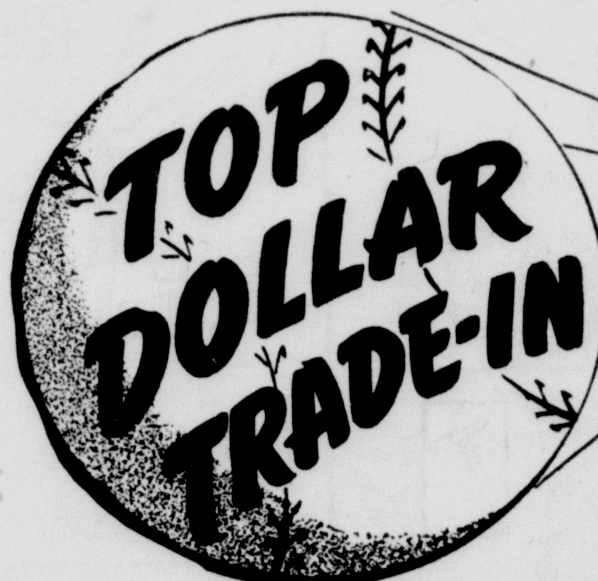
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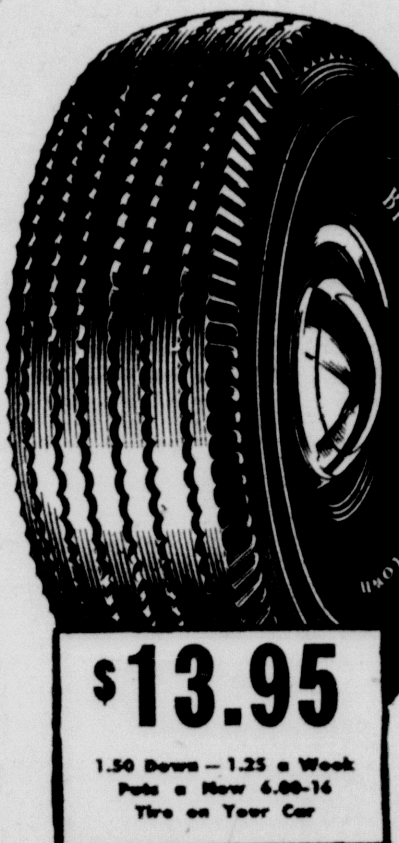
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INTEREST SLIGHT AS PRECINCTS REPORT

Democrats in Milam county will convene at 2 p. m. May 4 in the District Court Room in Cameron for their Presidential Election year Convention.

Interest was at a minimum with less than half of the Precincts reporting. Democratic conventions are largely perfunctory in the brutal majority belts. Even the current fight between the Texas Regulars and the New Deal Democrats over control of the State Delegation, failed to bring out the latent desire for political pyrotechnics in the hinterlands. The plain grass roots Democrats who will be on hand Tuesday afternoon to do the work, are still Democrats, the backbone of the party without interest in tariffs or tides.

Only two convention reported a resolution. Rockdale Democrats perhaps have expressed the desires of the majority, that we send an un-instructed delegation to the National Convention in June. The Rockdale Democrats have set the pattern that is apt to be followed here Tuesday.

As the situation appeared Monday the Convention here at 2 p. m. Tuesday will send a delegation to the State Convention in Brownwood committed to vote as a unit and for an un-instructed delegation to the national convention with a pledge to support the nominees of the party whoever they may be.

Seldom if ever has a county convention failed to instruct for the Democratic Nominee especially if he be president. Democrats here don't like Truman or his policies, especially the so called Civil Rights Bill. But, they will vote for him in November. He has already secured the number of delegates necessary to nominate him.

The Convention here was expected to commend Governor Jester for his leadership and Tideland's fight as well as Attorney General Price Daniel for his leadership also.

Cameron Delegates To County Convention At 2 p. m. Tuesday

Here are the lists of Delegates to the County Democratic Convention to be held in the District Court Room at 2 p. m. Tuesday, May 4:

Precinct 1

H. M. Akers, Joe B. Henderson, Carry O. Arendale, W. P. Bryan, Richard Bush, N. L. Caperton, John B. Henderson, S. A. Cottle, H. L. Dake, Frank W. Dink, Roy Esslinger, E. E. Geer, Donald Glass, D. B. Gunn, W. G. Heitman, Vaughan Jennings, Leo Lanke, Walter Lester, W. P. Matyastik, Dewey McElwath, LeVert McKinney, Leo J. O'Neill, W. J. Rice, Frank Richter, Jr., Dr. David Shapiro, Ada Margaret Smith, W. C. Wallace, Robert Weems, W. A. Morrison, Carl C. Black.

Precinct 2

R. G. Chapman, Bob Terry, J. B. White, Chas. M. Hicks, Mrs. J. B. White, W. T. Hanes, A. N. Green, Ed Gunn, Emory B. Camp, Chas. C. Smith, Jr., Franklin Dusek, W. O. Triggs, Mrs. W. O. Triggs, Roy Griffith, Sam McDermott, J. R. Hays, Mrs. Howard aBskin, Mrs. Jim Kemp, Oxsheer Smith, Leo Jackson, Giles McDermott, Leland Green, Jr., Gene Blake, Stanley H. Swift, E. A. Perrin, Grady Stidham, Dr. C. G. Swift, Bill Alex Bonds, Alvin Mondrik, W. W. Markham, Mrs. Andrew Esslinger, Ray Burke, L. Van Perkins, Dana Kestenbaum.

Return to Street Sprinkling?

Is Cameron going back to the street sprinkling system necessary in the gay nineties when water tanks hummed along the streets squirting water on the town belle's chignon?

Dirt streets have made their appearance again so an irate woman and a business man writes The Herald. If you will come forward and sign your name we will be glad to print the communications for we think there is real merit in them.

Just about 90 per cent of the causes that lead up to civic chaos results from people who are afraid to sign their names, yes, even afraid to vote outside the town ring. Remember this newspaper warned you in February about what was happening. Your visibility may lessen in the months ahead for the dust may get worse.

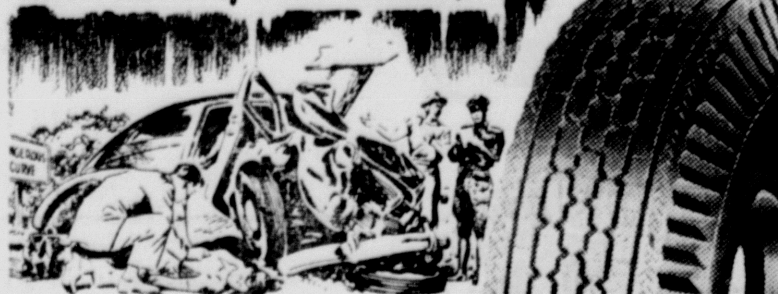
Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Clements of San Antonio are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clements of Cameron. He is employed with the International Harvester in San Antonio, and is now on a week's vacation.

Mrs. A. L. Gooden and mother-in-law, of Oklahoma City is spending a few days this week with her mother, Mrs. Ruby Small of Cameron.

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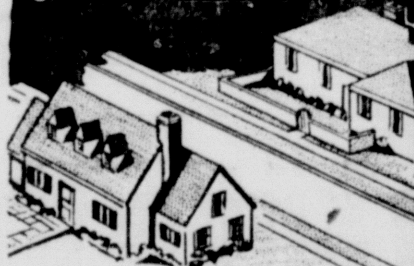
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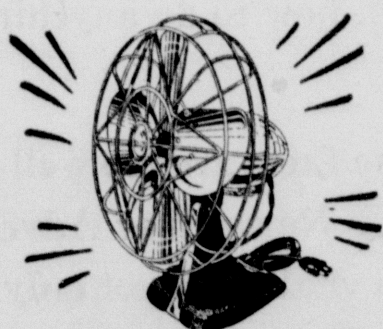
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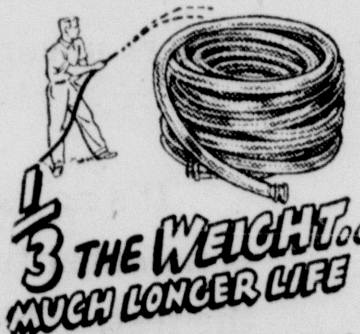
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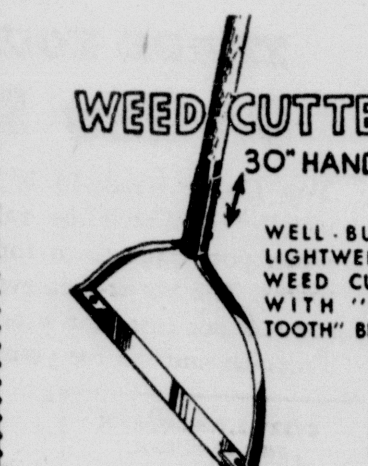


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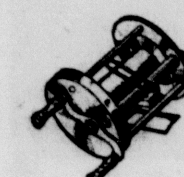
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DELEGATES TO COUNTY CONVENTION SLATED

Democrats in Milam county will hold their precinct conventions on Saturday, May 1 as the initial action to nominate candidates for President and Vice President.

The Precinct conventions will name delegates to the county convention to be held on Tuesday, May 4. The county convention will name delegates to the state convention that is to meet in Brownwood in early May.

The Democratic Executive Committee at its meeting here on April 13 named its members to hold the Precinct Conventions. A liberal policy as to dates and hours has been followed in this county for some years.

Some of the Precincts have already named delegates and certified them to the county chairman.

In Cameron two conventions are to be held, one at the Ada Henderson school and one in the Court House. Cameron has two voting precincts. Notice of the hours for the Cameron conventions was expected to be issued by early Friday since neither of the local committeemen have made arrangements, so far as known.

Every voter is urged to attend his convention. The Daily Herald will print the information necessary on the Cameron conventions in the Friday issue.

Miss Myrtle Hinton has returned from a few days visit with relatives in Houston, and was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Dora Hinton, who has been visiting relatives in Houston for several weeks.

Belton Errors Save Yoemen; Tigers Get 11 Hits off Locals

BELTON, April 30—An even dozen errors were all that kept the Cameron Yoemen's baseball bubble from exploding here this afternoon.

The Yoemen outscored Belton's Tigers 11-7, but Belton's 11 hits overshadowed Cameron's nine and the local club was more impressive most of the way.

But those 12 Belton errors kept the Tigers from upsetting the Milam county's apple cart.

Cameron latched onto a 4-1 lead after the opening frame, and stayed on to all the rest of the way, although Belton batters gave the Yoemen some bad moments.

Muggo Garcia, heralded Cameron pitcher, was the Tiger target for the day and couldn't weather the second inning. Bobby Wilkerson spent the rest of the afternoon on the Yoemen rubber.

Dick Hayes baffled Cameron most of seven innings with a slow curve ball.

Wilkerson, Catcher Howard Beale and Gordon Gibson, who alternated at first and third, were outstanding Cameron players. Beale is the most improved Yoemen of the year.

Shortstop Royce Boren, First Sacker Lawrence Bernard and Third Baseman Bill Northam banged out nine of the Belton club's 11 hits, with Boren belting a double and a triple.

Mrs. Ernie Robbins of Houston is a surgery patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

MAJOR UNIONS WILL TIE UP THE NATION

A crisis in industry, the worst since the end of the late war loomed Saturday as major unions representing millions of American workers threatened to strike and one date May 11 already designated for a rail tie up.

John L. Lewis was back in the picture again opening negotiations for a new soft coal contract and the talks are to start on May 18.

CIO auto workers have set May 12 as a walk out date in the Chrysler Corporation factories. The United Electrical workers are pointing to a strike date over their wage disputes.

Meanwhile federal conciliators were working frantically to get union and management together. This will not be accomplished and industry over the nation will be stopped. It has been some time until workers have had a vacation and with political campaigns in progress it is the psychological time to create disorder.

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Sam Hohenstein made a business visit to Davilla recently.

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Cameron's Precinct Conventions Name Delegates Here

(From the Daily)

Delegates from the two voting precincts in Cameron were in process of being named for the County Convention on Tuesday, May 4.

The Democratic Executive Committee at its meeting on April 13 named members of the Committee as chairmen for the conventions or delegated them to arrange for a slate of delegates from their precincts.

Time of holding conventions was left to the discretion of the Chairmen or their appointees. Some precincts have already reported.

Friday morning a list of delegates was submitted from Precinct one in the city of Cameron with Bill Morrison, County Attorney, volunteering to serve as chairman of the convention and W. J. Brashear as Secretary.

Chas. M. Hicks has agreed to hold the convention at the school gymnasium at 2:30 Saturday afternoon.

Cameron has two voting precincts and has to hold two precinct conventions.

The County Convention will be held on Tuesday, May 4.

Post Greetings from Mrs. H. C. McKee, of Fort Worth, tells of the condition of her son-in-law, W. J. (Billie) Watson who has been ill for some time. His condition seems to be slow to recovery, but he is able to be up some.

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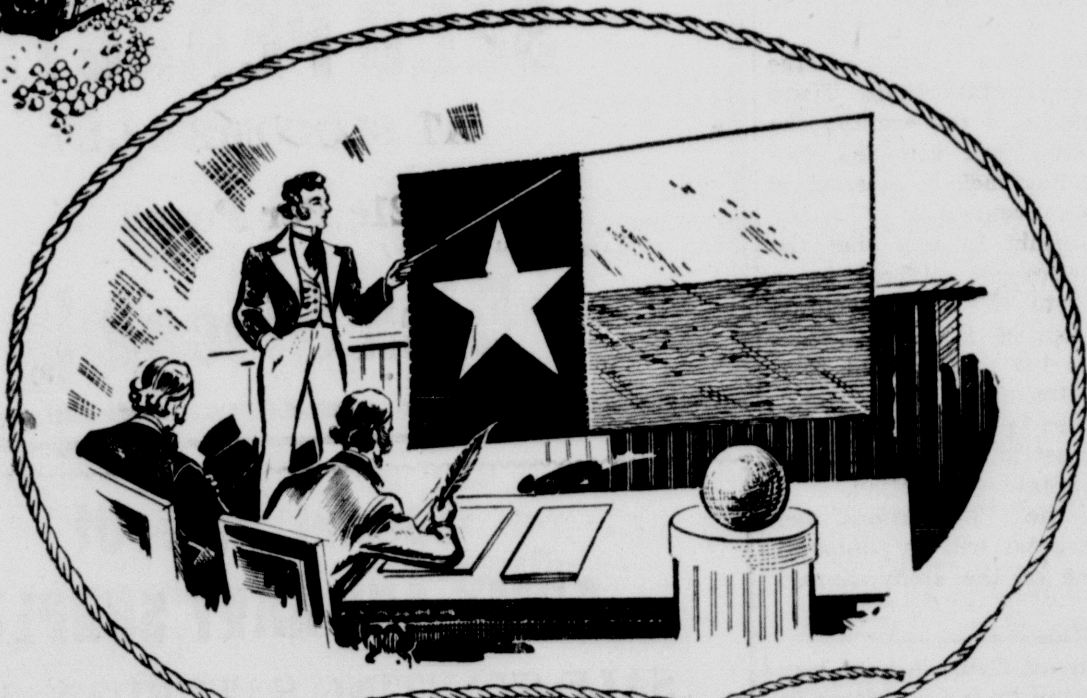
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Rosalie Matyastik
Nancy Matyastik
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PICNIC IN PARK HERE
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For the second day in succession Cameron was a proud host.

Clarkson students and their teachers and sponsors were in Cameron at 9 a. m. on Thursday for their annual school picnic.

There are 15 students and their teacher, Mrs. Anna Johns and the following sponsors: Mrs. Robert Wimberly, Mrs. John Matyastik and Mrs. Elmer Koenig.

The students were met by representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and a program was arranged for them which included a tour of the city. Their own picnic program in the park would consume a major part of their time here Thursday.

A special bus has been placed at the disposal of the teachers, students and sponsors. They have seen the interesting things about the old town, been entertained in the business houses and public buildings, including the court house.

They were guests at The Herald where they saw the afternoon edition of the daily run off the press. Names of the students, their teacher and sponsors were printed in the edition and each one given a copy for a souvenir to remember their visit to the city.

Entertaining the students from the schools is a part of the Public Relations program of the Chamber of Commerce this year. C. E. Cole is chairman of the committee and has been active in entertainment plans for the visitors.

The city was very happy to be host Thursday to the students from Clarkson school, their teachers and sponsors. The fine people of the Clarkson community know how to maintain a good school as well as other good institutions in that community and it was an honor to have a portion of the school body visit Cameron.

OUR TOWN—

(Continued from page one)
party control in Texas into a strange and impossible belief that they can serve their party and their political faith by carrying out the wishes of the Republican party.

You see it in the precinct conventions, replicas of 1944, which laid the groundwork for the state convention to pass into the control of Texas oil-rich Republicans, and many Democrats who deserted their faith because they had become hirelings.

And all this time fine speeches are being made daily at meetings and banquets about the superior worth of Democracy. Democracy does have a superior worth. But why not live it in practice instead of in platitudes?

It Happens Often

Here's a bit of two fisted philosophy borrowed from The Right Hand, published in El Paso. It is called Frustrationism:

After an oration, last month at one of the Civic Clubs, concerning our economic evils, the meeting adjourned and small groups gathered to discuss the question; the general conclusion was, "Of course he is right, but what can we do about it?" They stood there helpless, hopeless, pitiful examples of Frustrationism.

Why is this Frustrationism evident in so many phases of American Life today? Did we lose the War, or is it because we despair of winning the Peace? Are we going to discard all of our National virtues and settle for the promises of vicious propaganda and vicarious intelligence?

The exhaustion of the European Nations after the last War has left them powerless to meet their needs, but it has also produced an unhealthy condition in the American Soul. It is a symptom totally foreign to the American philosophy which grew up on the vitamins of Progress and Success.

During the early years of the Republic, our problems were to con-

quer the wilderness, build cities and tie them together with transportation. The perfecting of the Machine Age and the growth of population presents a new challenge. Distribution and Economics have not kept pace with our material progress. Are we going to meet this Challenge with grit and intuitiveness, or shall we trade the American Eagle for an ostrich, hiding our heads under the pillow and whispering "It can't be done?"

Under Frustrationism, economic integrity is diluted, initiative ceases, morality declines, the Will of the People stagnates, excessive concentrations of power throttle honest business and bureaucracy triumphs. To defeat Frustrationism, let us call upon those who have succeeded—the farmer, the merchant, the mechanic and the manufacturer—big business and little business—high-pressure salesmen and after-dinner orators—purchasing agents, housewives and engineers.

There are some professional and "sugar-plum" economists who glorify every attack upon free enterprise and our great industrial units, and who teach that the destruction of Big Business would be a great advantage for their Planned Economy. They teach that Success is a crime and that successful men conspire to frustrate the common men. The result of this mass hypnosis is Frustrationism, and it is possible only because—so many of the genus homo prefer fear, greed, suspicion, prejudice and idleness to the studious processes of analysis and concentrated reasoning. Skillful leaders mobilize these unholy emotions and fill their victims with the poverty of futility.

The social and political trends of today are laying the foundations for a worse debacle than the 1930 panic by seeking to elevate the shiftless and incompetent to a higher level than those who have borne responsibility and made self-improvement their cardinal virtue. Remember—the right to live is coordinated with the duty to improve the condition and environment of the individual, the individual, the family and Community as a whole.

Unscrupulous leaders of class groups prosper under Frustrationism; they satiate the appetites of a small minority, pretending devotion to the welfare of all of the people; they orate about Civil Rights, but there is no Common Law or Constitutional Edict that demands that the indolent, the slothful and the unworthy should have equal compensation with the industrious and honest workman. The incentive to invent, produce and distribute new and better products has made the American Way of Life the envy of the World and the marvel of the Ages.

Frustrationism is foreign to American chronology. From Chapter I when Columbus conquered doubts, fears and antagonisms of man and weather, to the hardy band of Settlers planting their ideals on Plymouth Rock and the mighty Washington rising from the despair of Valley Forge, progress has been their motif. Then we see the hardy pioneers crossing the Father of Waters, the Prairie Schooners in the fertile wilds of Kansas and the waves of Immigrants laying foundations of homes and prosperity.

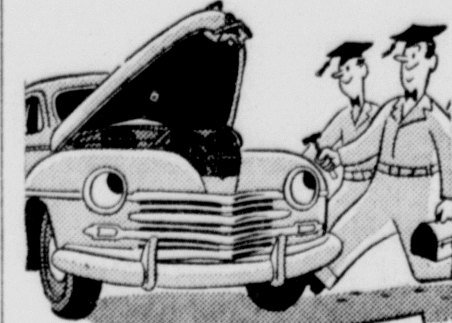
Every Chapter is an Odyssey of Success by people whose goal was betterment and accomplishment and who recognized obstacles only to surmount them and to whom the heresy of Frustrationism was a vicious sin. "O ye of little Faith!" Can you claim heirship to the Land of our Fathers if you are content to fold up in the clammy shell of Frustrationism and await the pitiful crumbs from a Paternal State?

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MALARIAL
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Malarial
Chills & Fever
RELIEF

President Says He
Will Compromise
On Draft Legislation

President Truman at his press conference in Washington early Thursday said that he would accept a compromise on Universal Military Training in order to get on with Congress and a program of national defense. The President said he would approve a draft bill that would accomplish the desired ends. He favors Universal training.

Dr. W. H. Cypert will attend the Texas Chiropractor College Homecoming to be held at the Gunter Hotel in San Antonio on May 6, 7 and 8. The homecoming is an annual event.



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NEW WAVERLY BANK
ROBBER IS NABBED

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., May 3—A 24-year-old man from Riverside, Tex., was arrested here today for robbery of the New Waverly state bank.

Sheriff Lloyd Farris of Walker county said \$1,824 was recovered. He said a check with the bank indicated this was about \$120 short.

Farris identified the man as William Carl Sullivan. He said Sullivan signed a written statement admitting the robbery. He quoted Sullivan as saying he went broke in the cattle business and decided to rob the bank to replace the money.

The bank was robbed about noon today. First reports gave the amount of money taken at between \$4,000 and \$5,000. New Waverly is 12 miles south of here, in the same county.

Farris said Sullivan walked up to Highway Patrolman Elmer Nichols and A. L. Bouldin in front of a cafe here about 3 p. m.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF
TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 0.359 miles of San Gabriel Bridge and Approaches located at San Gabriel River on Highway No. FM 487 covered by C858-1-1, in Milam County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:30 A. M., May 11, 1948, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 3 for each craft or type of "Laborer," "Workman," or "Mechanic" employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of V. R. Schmidt, Resident Engineer Cameron, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 5-2tc

PRAISE AND CONDEMN—
(continued from page one)
ton, P. W. Davis of Cameron, J. D. Peebles of Milano, W. D. Hollowell of Rockdale and Judge O. C. Nolte of Ben Arnold.

Emory B. Camp was named Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions and with him George Leath of Curry, L. C. Boyd of Walkers Creek, Will Henslee, Kay Moore of Buckholts, Zeke Alford of Rockdale and Frank Janicek of Clarkson.

Only about 20 Precincts of the county reported conventions. There are 47 Precincts in the county. The convention was well attended despite the seeming lack of interest in the Precinct conventions.

It is significant to note that the resolutions were all adopted by a unanimous vote of the convention with the exception of one vote cast negatively on the uninstruted delegation commitment.

The delegates are placed under the unit rule to cast Milam county's five votes in the State Convention.

Copies of the Resolutions and names of delegates will be published in the edition of the Daily Herald Thursday.

O. C. Nolte of Ben Arnold was among the many business visitors in Cameron this week. He has been a reader of The Herald for many years and will continue. Mr. Nolte, former Justice of Peace for that precinct has been a member of the Democratic Executive Committee for many years.

Visitors for the morning services of the First Baptist church Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hestram of Houston, J. B. Boggan of Hearne, Jo Ann Boggan, C. R. Ruse, Jr. of Cuero and A. C. Noh of Cuero.

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HARMONY SEEN FOR
PARTY IN COUNTY

(From the Daily)

Milam County Democrats were due to hold a convention of harmony at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Cameron and indications were that a delegation pledged to support an uninstruted delegation to the notional convention was certain to be one of the major actions of the convention here.

Only one Precinct voted to support President Truman. The Jones Prairie Precinct instructed its delegates to vote for an instruted delegation for President Truman as the nominee.

All precincts in the county will support the nominee of the party, regardless of the disaffection in the ranks over President Truman's policies. Normal bolters will not support the Democratic nominees. They are few. They will participate in the conventions and bolt in November. Milam county Democrats will remain loyal to the ticket despite any showing of hostility toward the party leadership.

The Democrats in convention here Tuesday were certain to indorse the Tideland fight of Governor Beauford Jester and Attorney General Price Daniel. They also would vote to instruct for an uninstruted delegation to the National Convention.

Chairman J. B. White was called out of the city for the day and could not attend the convention which would be called to order by Chas. M. Hicks, superintendent of schools. The convention would then organize and proceed with business in hand.

A small attendance was indicated only 8 Precincts had reported up to Monday night. The county has 47 Precincts.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese Turner of Austin are the happy parents of a son born, at St. David Hospital, April 26, 1948. He weighed seven pounds and has been named Reese Monroe Turner, Jr. The mother will be remembered in Cameron as the former Dora Emma Duncum. Mr. Turner, former Representative is associated with Radio station K. T. B. C. in Austin.

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Mrs. Dean White of Cameron recently accepted a position with Milam Drug Company where she is in charge of the cosmetic department.

Women in Cameron and surrounding territory will find Mrs. White a very capable consultant for all beauty aids. With the addition of the famous Dermetics line to the cosmetic department you may feel assured that your individual beauty aids will be carefully and courteously cared for in this completely stocked department.

Mrs. White joins the Milam Drug Company in extending a cordial invitation to old as well as new friends to feel free at any time to visit her department.

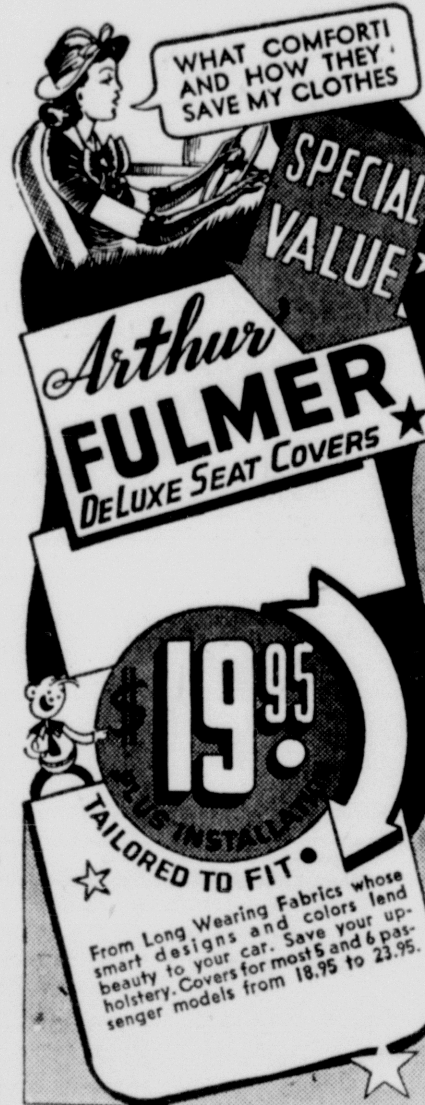
Mrs. Roydell Pounds of Ft. Worth spent Monday and Tuesday of the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Williams.

COMMUNITY PARTY

Belmena P.-T. A. will sponsor a Community party, Friday, May 7, at 7:30, at the school building. Music will be furnished by Buffalo Angell.

Refreshments will be sold. The public is cordially invited.

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FOR SALE—Hot Point electric range in first class condition. J. J. Janicek, Rt. 2, Cameron. 6-1tp

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MR. STOCKMAN—The famous Oeco stock mineral can be obtained at T. J. Kirk and Son Feed Store, Cameron, Texas. 43-12tp

REPOSSESSED CARS—for sale. Two 1936 model tudors both need minor repairs bargain. See George Childress. 41-tf

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FOR SALE—Slightly used McCormick Deering hay press with pick up attachment wire tying type. Can be seen at Maysfield Mercantile Co., or Call 156. Dick Young. 6-1tc

FOR SALE—Potato slips. \$1.25 a thousand. See W. M. Brown, Maysfield. 6-2tp

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to sincerely thank all those who gave blood or offered to give for my mother, Mrs. Minnie McFarland. To each of you I'm deeply grateful.

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CAMERON THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
May 13 and 14



MILAM THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
May 9 and 10

LIBERTY NEWS

Troy Gilliland of Beaumont spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Chess Williams spent the past week in Dallas in the home of her son.

Our community had a nice rain last week which was greatly needed.

Dan Gunnels and family spent Sunday in the home of his father.

Mrs. Mattie Gilliland of Rogers was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mayme Drago last week.

Maudie Helen Morgan of Milano spent Tuesday and Wednesday night with Faye and Kaye Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wall of Hanover spent Sunday in the home of August Hux and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harris and family and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ruzicka of Cameron spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Morgan and family.

W. H. Gilliland who is employed in Austin spent the week end at home.

FARM BUREAU MEET

Farm Bureau Meeting Friday, May 7 at 7:30 in District Court room. Mr. Johnson from A&M College will be here to discuss grasshopper control. 6-1tc

Milam H. D. Council

The Milam County Home Demonstration Council met Wednesday, April 28 at the Lutheran church in Rockdale.

Mrs. Bernice Charles, vice chairman called the meeting to order. Mrs. W. A. Allday had charge of recreation. A game of observation was played and the prize went to Mrs. Jenkins of Bethlehem club.

Nine clubs were represented with 7 presidents, 7 delegates and 11 visitors present.

Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Dodson and Mrs. Spence gave some interesting reports from the District THDA meeting at Huntsville.

Plans were made for the training school on flower arranging and compost pile to be held in Rockdale May 27 from 2 to 5 p. m. at the Lutheran church.

Yarrellton News

Mrs. Bob Griswold, Mrs. Mary Chapman and Willard Chapman were called to Corpus Christi last week to be near thier sister and daughter, Mrs. Fred Smith, who underwent a serious operation in a Corpus Christi Hospital. Mrs. Griswold and Willard returned home but Mrs. Chapman remained there with her daughter.

Mrs. Alice Mitchell of Cameron spent last week end and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Russell and family. They visited in the J. H. Richardson home Saturday night at Rosebud.

Mrs. Minnie Russell underwent dental surgery at Scott and White Hospital in Temple Wednesday and is doing nicely at last report.

A group of Yarrellton folks attended workers conference at Cameron Monday and enjoyed the speaker and luncheon very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Solomon are the proud parents of a 9½ pound baby girl named Margarie Lou. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. Nannie Wallace is visiting Mrs. Smith Barrett and Mrs. Clarence Colburn and attended church Sunday.

Patricia Ann Gets Titsworth Home Honors on Birthday

Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Titsworth honored their daughter, Patricia Ann with a party on her second birthday at their home Friday, April 23.

The following were present for the party: Mr. and Mrs. Bush Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. West, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hanes and Cathy, Mrs. Florence Markham, Mrs. Red Sheguit, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brod, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Odom of Waco.

Mrs. Titsworth served barbecue chicken with all the trimmings to the guests. Patricia received many little gifts and thanked the guests in her charming manner.

Roy Seaton Case Is Set For May 20th

Roy Seaton, charged with assault with a prohibited weapon, will be tried in District Court May 20 it was announced by Bill Morrison, county attorney.

Seaton was charged shortly after he had shot and wounded a negro in west Cameron. Normally when a man shoots another he is charged with assault with intent to murder. If the facts in the case warrant a mitigation of the offense a lesser charge would be permissible.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones of Temple were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barmore on Sunday.

Rail Strike Set For May 11; Last Effort Being Made To-day

Two unions of the operating personnel of American railroads have fixed May 11 as the date on which they will go out on strike.

Government efforts were hurled into the mess Thursday in a last effort to settle the strike.

The Switchman's Union and the Firemen and Enginemen are to strike. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers had not reached a decision late Thursday.

The strike, if it involves only the two unions setting a date, will tie up the nation's railroads.

The publishers were glad to see C. H. Jones of Minerva who has extended his Herald for another year.



CAMERON LODGE No. 56

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Meets Every Thursday Night
Jess Brock, Noble Grand
H. B. McClellen, Secretary.

CAMERON REBEKAH LODGE

No. 46

Meets First and Third Tuesday Nights
Nettie Storey, Noble Grand
Willie McLean, Secretary.



THE CAMERON THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 9 and 10



THE MILAM THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 9 and 10



THE CAMERON THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAY 6 and 7

MRS. J. N. MOTTE FUNERAL IN TAFT

Mrs. J. N. Motte, 74 resident of Taft for the past 34 years, died at 2:30 p. m. April 22, 1948 at her home.

Mrs. Motte, who was born January 26, 1874, in Troy, S. C., came to Taft with her husband in 1914. She was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Friday at the First Presbyterian church there, with the Rev. K. J. Morgan officiating, assisted by the Rev. G. B. Strickler. Burial was made in Taft Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, J. N. Motte of Taft; one son, Jim, of Kerrville; five sisters, Mrs. C. L. Pressley of Taft, Mrs. Zelma Lamkin of Memphis, Texas; Mrs. Eva Magendie of Fort Worth; Mrs. T. B. Spell and Mrs. John Angel, both of Beaumont; and five brothers, David, John and Neil Ethridge of Cameron, Malvern Ethridge of Fort Worth and Jiles Ethridge of Corpus Christi.

Pallbearers were Bob Josseland, Olin Cavitt, George Atkinson, Elton Ford, J. D. Patrick, Jr., W. M. Pressley, Haywood Smith and Claud C. Boykin.

Fred Matula of Temple and Lorene Matula attended the funeral of John Matula here last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Williams of Cameron visited Mr. and Mrs. John Miller in Milano Wednesday afternoon.

Abe Marsh and Irving Fabrikant of Brenham transacted business in Cameron Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sevcik spent the past week end in Corpus Christi in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sevcik.

Among the many new readers of The Herald is Mrs. Charlie Bush of Midland. She formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Stidham, Jr. of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Stidham and little son of Austin spent the past week end with their parents in Cameron.



THE CAMERON THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAY 13 and 14

Cameron Theatre

SATURDAY, MAY 8

"TWO BLONDES AND A REDHEAD"

Jean Porter & Jimmy Lloyd

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 9 and 10

"BLACK BART"

Yvonne De Carlo and Dan Duryea

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MAY 11 and 12

"MY GIRL TISA"

Lilli Palmer and Sam Vanamaker

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAY 13 and 14

"NIGHT SONG"

Dana Andrews and Merle Oberon

SATURDAY, MAY 15

"BIG TOWN AFTER DARK"

Phillip Reed and Hillary

Milam Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, APRIL 30, MAY 1

"LAST DAYS OF BOOTHILL"

Charles Starrett

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 9 and 10

"BURNING CROSS"

Hank Daniels and Virginia Patton

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MAY 11 and 12

"ROAD TO RIO"

Bing Crosby and Bob Hope

THURSDAY, MAY 13

"THE ROAD TO THE BIG HOUSE"

John Shelton and Ann Doran

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MAY 14 and 15

"BANDITS OF DARK CANYON"

Allan Lane

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Sidney A. Holt and the other heirs of William Holt, deceased, who are unknown; Mrs. E. M. Rogers and the other heirs of Martin Holt, deceased, who are unknown; the unknown heirs of M. H. Nicholson, deceased; the unknown heirs of Nancy N. Yarrington, deceased; Alpha Dean Prestidge and husband, Clyde Prestidge; Bernice N. Dietrich and husband, Henry E. Dietrich, W. E. Nicholson, Mae Nicholson Manry and husband, Vinson T. Manry, R. W. Nicholson, G. H. Nicholson, Ethel Nicholson Delaney and husband, John M. Delaney, Marilla Nicholson, J. A. Nicholson, E. M. Nicholson, and Mrs. Maude Nicholson Holloway and husband, F. E. Holloway, and the unknown heirs of Edna Nicholson McClain, deceased.

You are commanded to appear and

answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 24th day of May, A. D., 1948, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Milam County, at the Court House in Cameron, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 5th day of February, 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 12938.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

George W. Dean, Jr., Willard Dean, and T. J. Dean as Plaintiffs, and Mrs. Alpha Dean Prestidge and husband, Clyde Prestidge; Frank Dean; Tanner Dean; Floyd Dean; Boyd Dean; Mrs. Charry Curbello; Mrs. E. M. Rogers and the other heirs of Martin Holt, deceased, whose names and residences are unknown; The unknown heirs of Edna Nicholson McClain, deceased; Sidney A. Holt and other heirs of William Holt, deceased, whose names and residences are unknown; Bernice N. Dietrich and husband, Henry E. Dietrich; W. E. Nicholson; Mae Nicholson Manry and husband, Vinson T. Manry; R. W. Nicholson; G. H. Nicholson; E. E. Nicholson; R. M. Nicholson; Ethel N. Delaney and husband, John M. Delaney; The unknown heirs of M. H. Nicholson, deceased; Marilla Nicholson; J. A. Nicholson; The unknown heirs of Nancy Nicholson Yarrington, deceased; E. M. Nicholson; Mrs. Maude Nicholson Holloway and husband, F. E. Holloway, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit substan-

tially as follows, to-wit: Suit for partition of a tract of 106 1-20 acres of land out of the B. R. Thompson headright in Milam County, Texas, and being the same land particularly described in deed from J. W. Winn, Administrator, to George W. Dean, dated November 21, 1883, and recorded in Vol. 9 page 489, Deed Records of said County.

The respective interests of the above cited defendants in said land are as follows:

Sidney A. Holt, and the other heirs of William Holt, deceased, who are unknown, own jointly and undivided 3-80 therein.

Mrs. E. M. Rogers, and the other heirs of Martin Holt, deceased, who are unknown, own jointly an undivided 3-80 therein.

The unknown heirs of M. H. Nicholson, deceased, own an undivided 3-2160 therein.

The unknown heirs of Nancy Nicholson Yarrington, deceased, own an undivided 3-720 therein.

The unknown heirs of Edna Nicholson McClain, deceased, own an undivided 3-3600 therein.

Mrs. Alpha Dean Prestidge owns an undivided 13-420 therein.

Bernice N. Dietrich, W. E. Nicholson, Mae Nicholson Manry and R. W. Nicholson, each owns an undivided 3-3600 therein.

G. H. Nicholson owns an undivided 3-720 therein.

Ethel Nicholson Delaney owns an undivided 3-2160 therein.

Marilla Nicholson, J. A. Nicholson, E. M. Nicholson, and Mrs. Maude Nicholson Holloway, each owns an undivided 3-720 therein.

The defendants, Clyde Prestidge, Henry E. Dietrich, Vinson T. Manry, John M. Delaney and F. E. Holloway, own no interest therein, but are joined pro-forma.

Plaintiffs allege that said tract of land is not susceptible of partition in kind and prays for the appointment of a receiver to sell said land and for distribution of the proceeds of such sale among the

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respective owners; for the appointment of an attorney ad litem to represent the interests of the parties herein cited, and for such other and further relief as plaintiffs may be entitled to.

Issued this the 8th day of April, 1948.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Texas, this the 8th day of April A. D., 1948.

GRADY ALLEN, Clerk
Court, Milam County, Texas
3-4tc

BIG WAR DEVELOPING
IN THE HOLY LANDS

A big scale war was developing rapidly in Palestine with four Arab armies under Abdula, the King, it was disclosed in a morning news cast.

A hurried session of the United Nations was called to take immediate steps to protect Jerusalem.

The British will relinquish their mandate over the Holy Lands on April 18. A previous announcement that the Arabs, fielding some 15,000 British trained troops, would begin an invasion on Saturday, may not have been a true report.

Early Tuesday it was said that invasion had begun as the Arabs crossed the border of Palestine.

The Jews have taken Haifa on the Mediterranean coast and had staged a surprise attack on Jaffa. The Arabs viewing the situation with alarm have declared they will invade the country.

Developments in Palestine were certain to bring United Nations intervention. More than likely the United States will have to decide the issue there since Britain is pulling out.

Famous Beautician At
Milam Drug Co. on
Monday Through Week

Wynema Noonan, famous beautician from the Dermetics Fifth Avenue New York Salon will be in Cameron Monday where she will conduct a beauty clinic, at Milam Drug Company where this famous cosmetic is on display.

The women are cordially invited to come in and see your skin in natural colors through the amazing, sensational Beautyscope and determine whether the cosmetics you are now using are suited to your particular type of skin.

Milam Drug Company invites you to come by or phone in your appointment. Remember the Clinic begins Monday, May 3 and continues through Saturday, May 8.

Albert T. Glimp of Lampasas was a Cameron visitor Tuesday.

Political Announcements
MILAM COUNTY

The Herald is authorized to make the following announcements for the nomination for the respective offices listed, subject to the Democratic Primary on Saturday, July 24, 1948.

For Congress

W. R. POAGE

For Representative 65th District:

FRANK M. HALEY

HENRY G. LEHMAN

For Representative 64th District:

FRED JACKSON

A. N. GREEN

H. F. PASCHALL

For District Judge:

W. A. (Bill) MORRISON

For County Judge

DAN TYSON

For District Clerk:

ROY VAUGHAN

GRADY ALLEN

For County Clerk:

SHIRLEY McLEAN

HOMER NABOURS

For Commissioner Precinct 1:

C. S. RANEY

For Commissioner Precinct 2:

W. W. (Doc) MARKHAM

For Sheriff:

CARL C. BLACK

For Assessor and Collector of Taxes:

VALTER WHITE

H. R. Richards of the San Gabriel community made a business visit to Cameron recently.

PENNSYLVANIA GIVES
HIM GOOD MAJORITY

Presidential Candidate Harold E. Stassen rode a two-to-one Philadelphia lead to an approximate 5,000 vote victory today in industrial Pennsylvania's Republican preferential primary.

The former Minnesota governor, fresh from delegate success in agricultural Wisconsin and Nebraska, said at Trenton, N. J. the Pennsylvania result "may turn out to be a key event in the nomination."

"The support which I have been receiving in the rural areas as evidenced by the Nebraska returns, now seems to be developing in the industrial areas," he told reporters.

But at Albany, N. Y., Governor Thomas E. Dewey, Stassen's only close competitor in the exclusively write-in balloting, said the "spontaneous" vote he received was "particularly gratifying."

Mr. Stassen lost little time for he had jumped into the middle of the fight in New Jersey.

Visitors at the First Baptist church for the morning service were: Dorene Webber, Mrs. Frank Jurca, Carl Grant, Mrs. Elmer Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Mitchell and daughter all of Buckholts, Mrs. W. A. Beard of Mesquite, Dr. Alfred R. Wells of Houston, Mrs. Beulah Burns and Tom Wells of Austin.

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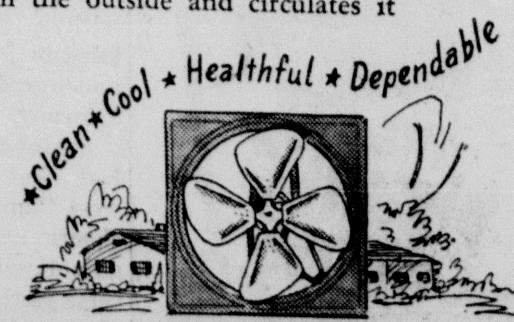


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DEMAND HAUL DOWN OF FLAG ON DANUBE BOAT

VIENNA, April 29—The U. S. Army reported tonight that the Russians tried to take over an American-leased Danube pleasure steamer which ran aground near Linz, but were thwarted by the sergeant who was in charge of the craft.

The armed Russians threatened to blow up the vessel and to shoot the American flag off the mast if it were not lowered, headquarters reported.

Sgt. Frank Bruschel of Aurora, Ill., and the Fourth Constabulary Battalion refused calmly but firmly to give up command of the ship, the Army said. He kept the Soviet troops at bay for more than 16 hours until other craft came to the rescue.

The steamer Stadt Passau, with 19 passengers including 15 American soldiers, was making its nightly excursion along the Danube last night, according to the Army account. An engine breakdown cut off the power, and the boat drifted aground on the Russian side of the river.

Kenneth J. Marek To Take Part In Program At A&M On May 8

COLLEGE STATION—Kenneth J. Marak, of Cameron, will participate in Texas A&M Agriculture-Engineering Day here May 8, Marak, a junior architectural design student at A&M will have on display a design of a planing mill and structural analysis problems. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Marak, 606 W. Main, Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gamble of Manor visited in Cameron and Sharpe over the week end.

Dr. W. R. Hall Now Minister Here For Presbyterians

Dr. W. R. Hall has arrived in Cameron to take up his duties as Minister at First Presbyterian church.

Dr. Hall will be in the church on Sunday morning for his first pulpit address. He is a former resident of Cameron but has lived in Marlin for a number of years. Dr. and Mrs. Hall arrived in Cameron on Wednesday.

Williamson County Centennial To-Day

(From the Daily)

Williamson county is 100 years old and is celebrating its Centennial beginning to-day, May 1.

The celebration program will last through May 8.

Judge Dan Tyson, who as a boy lived in Georgetown, has sent a telegram to the Commissioners Court from the Milam County court extending congratulations.

Cameron celebrated its Centennial in May 1946. The county is much older but the first county seat was in Caldwell.

SINGING CONVENTION

The Milam County Convention will meet at South Elm Baptist Church on May 16, 1948. Lunch will be served at noon. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Grady Walston of Hearne is a surgery patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Harlan Dodd who underwent an operation at St. Edwards Hospital recently is much improved and able to be up.

MIDLAND BLAZE WIPES OUT ENTIRE FAMILY

MIDLAND, April 29—Fire wiped out a family of five today when a blaze destroyed the Gordon Wylie Blanton home four and a half miles west of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton; their son, Bill, 13, and their two daughters, Reba, 8, and Loretta, 11, perished in the early morning flames.

Blanton was about 36. His wife, Allene Ritchey Blanton, was 32. The Blantons had lived in Midland County since 1925 and had resided in their home west of here for 11 years. They rented the home and farm home from James Young of Arkansas.

Cause of the blaze was not known. Iron bed posts and other metal furnishings were all that was left.

Midland Chief of Police Jack Ellington said Blanton's body was located in what evidently had been the kitchen and that Mrs. Blanton and the three children had died in their beds.

Woodrow Stewart, a neighbor, reported the blaze about 4:30 a. m. By the time firemen and policemen arrived the frame dwelling was engulfed in flames.

Funeral services for the five fire victims will be held at 4:30 p. m. Friday in a funeral chapel here.

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely wish to thank the many friends and brothers of the Odd Fellows Lodge No. 56 in Cameron and Rockdale for their greatest of kindness and sympathy in the loss of our dear brother, Homer Warren Winchester.

Omie Winchester
Jasper Winchester
Mrs. Annie Waters
Mrs. Maude Joachim.

Visitors for the morning service at the First Baptist church Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Parker of Burlington, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crook of Waco, Mrs. Dwight Larson of Minnesota, Mrs. B. B. Cobb of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mestram of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Mott Terry of Grand Prairie.

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We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbors who helped us in so many different ways during the recent illness and death of our beloved husband and father, Delphine W. Janes. We wish to thank the Doctors, Sisters and nurses of St. Edwards Hospital who were so faithful to him and to us. Our thanks go also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

We deeply appreciate the many items of food prepared by our friends and relatives and delivered to us. We cannot find words to express our gratefulness to our many friends who came with their tractors and

their expense put our farm in such good shape.

Mrs. Delphine W. Janes and Family.

Mrs. Gussie McGregor is here on a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Homer McLane and husband. Mrs. McGregor has been employed at the Tax Assessor and Collector's office at Odessa for the past six months. She will return to her position the last of this week. She is making her home with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Young in Odessa, while she is employed there.

E. G. Stiles of Thorndale made a business visit to Cameron recently.

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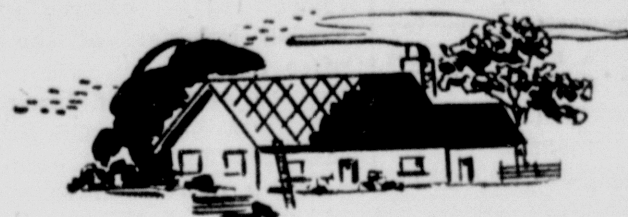
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Society in the News

Theresa Michalka and E. McAtee Married At St. Moicia's Church

A beautiful wedding was solemnized Tuesday morning, April 20 at 8:30 a. m. in St. Monica's Catholic church in Cameron when Miss Theresa Michalka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Michalka of Cameron became the bride of Edward McAtee, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McAtee, of Rosebud.

Rev. George Duda, pastor, officiated at the ceremony and was celebrant of the Nuptial Mass. The altars were attractively decorated with red roses and stock.

The wedding music was played by Miss Christine Michalka.

The bride was dressed in a white two piece street length dress with white accessories and a white hat. She carried a bouquet of variegated sweet peas.

Miss Ann Michalka, sister of the bride, the only attendant was dressed in a light blue two piece dress with pink and black accessories and wore a corsage of sweet peas.

Rudolph Michalka cousin of the bride attended the groom.

The bride's mother wore a light blue dress and corsage of white carnations. The groom's mother chose a pale lavender dress and a corsage of white carnations.

A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents. For a wedding trip to San Antonio and New Braunfels the bride wore a blue suit of butcher linen with white accessories.

The couple will make their home in Cameron. The groom is in business with the Magnolia Service Station. The bride is employed at St. Edwards Hospital.

Wesleyan Guild Is Entertained Here

Members of the Wesleyan Guild, of the First Methodist Church, were entertained by their guest, Miss Mary Tarrent, a missionary from China. They met in the basement of the church Monday, April 19.

Miss Tarrent, a few years ago completed a mission in China and returned to the States. She gave a very interesting talk on the conditions in China.

Joe Zatloukal, long time reader of The Herald is among the many who are renewing for another year.

Mrs. Ida Bell Lewis Voted Membership In Science Fraternity

Mrs. Ida Bell Lewis, Buckholts, is one of 11 Mary-Hardin-Baylor College students recently accepted for membership in the Texas Zeta chapter of Pi Gamma Mu, national social science fraternity.

The new members were initiated in the traditional formal ceremony. Vincent Simmons, Temple, acting president was in charge of the service, assisted by Mrs. Madie Smith, acting vice-president and faculty sponsor.

Requirements for eligibility in the organization are based on 20 Semester hours in social science, including biology, education, religious education, history, and social sciences, with average grades of "B" or above in these fields; and a general high scholastic record in all college work.

Mrs. Lewis is a senior at Mary-Hardin Baylor.

Two Cameron Girls To Take Part In Alfalfa Fiesta

Misses Helen Reichert and Martha Lee Werner will represent Cameron as sweetheart and bathing beauty at the Alfalfa Fiesta in Hearne, May 13th.

Miss Werner, a junior in Yoe High School is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Werner of 201 East 11th Street. She will wear a beautiful New red Gantner Glo bathing suit, furnished through the courtesy of the Specialty Shop of Cameron.

Miss Reichert, the sweetheart, is employed with Culpepper's Home Furnishings, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Reichert of North Fanning Avenue. She will wear a lovely peach marquette evening gown, and will have as her escort Wayne Perrin of Cameron, Texas University student, and both will take part in the crowning of the Alfalfa Queen, which will be attended by Governor Jester.

E. B. Martin of Burlington was in Cameron Monday to make returns on the Precinct Democratic Convention held there on Saturday.

Edwin A. Repa of Cameron is among the many new readers of The Herald. Mr. Repa has been a resident of the city for some time.

Happy Time 42 Club Entertained Here By Mrs. Jim Crouch

The Happy Time 42 Club was entertained by Mrs. Jim Crouch on April 29.

The home was beautifully decorated with pot flowers and beautiful bouquets of lilies and roses.

Three visitors were present: Mrs. Henry McLane, Mrs. Pete Bergum, Mrs. L. E. Crow. One member was absent.

High score went to Mrs. Cecil Armstrong; second high to Mrs. McLane and low to Mrs. J. V. Eanes. Mrs. Henry McLane won 84.

Refreshments of ribbon sandwiches, pickles, potato chips, cookies and lemonade were served.

The next meeting will be May 13 at the home of Mrs. J. V. Eanes of Cameron.

Margareth Orsag Is Bride of J. T. Blackmon Of San Antonio

News has been received here of the marriage of Miss Margareth Orsag of San Antonio, to J. T. Blackmon of that city. The marriage was performed by Rev. H. E. Beseda, at eight o'clock, December 25, 1947, in the Czech Moravian Church at Caldwell.

Mrs. Blackmon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orsag, formerly of Cameron but now of Caldwell. She was born in Cameron and graduated from Yoe High School in 1942, and is now employed with Jack Cagle & Company, Insurance in San Antonio. Mr. Blackmon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Blackmon, Sr., of San Antonio where he owns an auto repair garage. They will make their home in San Antonio.

Business Women Club Breakfast At Milam Coffee Shop Sunday

The Business and Professional Women's Club enjoyed a Sunday morning breakfast at the Milam Coffee Shop.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Edith Starnes, the vice president, Miss Lillian Atkinson presided over a short business session.

A number of the members were present and a few guests, Miss Mildred Thornton, Miss Lois Randolph and Mrs. John Holbrook of Los Angeles, California, who is visiting her sister, Miss Ann Stallworth.

The J. L. Foster, Sr., Celebrate 50 Years of Wedded Happiness

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster, Sr., celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at their home, April 28.

The following children were present: Mrs. H. M. Warrell and Mrs. Ralph Gray of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Belt, Jr. and children of Milano, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark of Cameron. Several of the children spent the past week end in the Foster home and were unable to attend the celebration.

Open house was held during the day where many of their friends called to greet the couple.

A lovely two tiered white cake decorated with rosebuds and the inscription fiftieth anniversary was given to the couple.

806 Texans Apply For Degree From A&M In June

COLLEGE STATION, April 29—Twenty-six states other than Texas and four foreign countries, are represented by students applying for degrees at the June commencement at Texas A&M College.

A total of 93 students are on the out-of-state list and eight students on the foreign countries list. There are 806 applicant students from Texas.

The foreign countries represented are Puerto Rico, 3; Mexico, 3; Venezuela, 1 and Canal Zone, 1.

Out-of-states are: Arkansas, 7; Illinois, 4; Oklahoma, 10; Mississippi, 6; Washington, D. C., 3; Louisiana, 28; Virginia, 1; New Jersey, 4; Oregon, 1; New Mexico, 1; California, 3; Kentucky, 1; North Carolina, 1; Pennsylvania, 4; Maine, 2; Missouri, 5; Indiana, 1; Maryland, 1; Tennessee, 2; Ohio, 1; Michigan, 1; Iowa, 1.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to Drs. Shapiro and Walker, to the S. P. J. S. T. Lodge and to the Woodmen of the World for their kindness and help during the illness and at the death of our beloved husband and father, R. J. Guzman. To those who gave flowers or in any way helped us we are truly grateful.

Mrs. R. J. Guzman
Augusteny Guzman
Emma Guzman
August Guzman

Milam County Cattle Best At Auction In Temple; Big Prices

(Temple Telegram)

Cattle receipts at the Lawhorn auction barn here continue moderately heavy for this season of the year—about 1600 head changed hands at the Tuesday and Thursday sales last week.

A large per cent of that number was stocked type cattle, with butcher cattle in light supply and prices on that type fully steady to strong. Stocker cattle selling under pressure with the plain and common kind were hard to move at reduced prices.

At Tuesday's sale the best cattle offered came mostly from Milam county, although Charles S. Cox and son of Temple sold a choice yearling at \$33.10, the highest price in local records except for club calves.

From Milam county, R. L. Batte had a load of calves selling from \$25 to \$28 a hundredweight. W. S. Lamkin brought in calves which sold at about the same price, and G. A. and E. McDermott's fat calves ranged from \$25 to \$30.50. H. L. McLerran sold 25 steers, averaging about 800 pounds a head, at \$25 to \$28.25.

Prices continue good on cutter cows, ranging from \$14 to \$17.50. Canners sold from \$12.50 to \$14 with

some hard kinds to \$11 and below.

Fat cows went from \$19 to \$21.50 with some on the heifer type at \$22.50 to \$24.

General rains over west and southwest Texas would do much to strengthen the stocker market at this time.

Hog market, after being change-

able for several weeks, remained at the same spot—\$20.50—all last week. Feeder pigs, however, were higher on the Fort Worth market.

Clara Matula has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Herman Boedecker, who is a patient in Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

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Marriages
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Lerol Lee, Jr. and Vyree Willis.
B. E. Arrott and Beatrice Morton.
Leslie Alton McCrummer and Flosie Mae Mitchell.
T. P. Duke and Mrs. Nellie Neal.
Warren D. Camphor and Annie Rosa Mikula.
Albert U. Smith and Mrs. Lizzie Pelzel.
Santiago Montelango and Virginia Alrenzo.

Deeds
J. F. Jackson et ux to W. H. Eubanks, 27.9 acres of the Gabriel Jackson survey, \$10.00 and other valuable considerations.
Mae Urban et al to C. C. Vinton undivided interest in 80 acres of the J. B. Harvey grant, \$75.00.
Phillip Towery to A. C. Towery, 6 acres of the Brice P. Duncan survey \$10.00.
Harry Bland et ux, to E. E. Cook, Lot No. 17 in block No. 116 in the Wm. Allen and Wm. Mitchells grants, \$10.00 and other valuable considerations.
J. B. Newton et al to J. T. Richards,

part of lot No. 15 block No. 114 in City of Rockdale, \$10.00 and other valuable considerations.
John B. Henderson et al to Will Turner, all that certain portion of the South one-half of block 5 in the Henderson-Arnold to City of Cameron, \$1,000.00.
B. Regenbrecht et ux, to S. W. Nichols et ux, lots Nos. 4 and 5 in block No. 9 of City of Rockdale, \$6,000.00.
Jesus L. Medelin et ux, to Catarino Flores et ux, 51 acres of the W. W. Lewis league \$2,100.
Mary Lake Culpepper et vir to Alois Kutnak, 81 acres of the W. J. Cowan L. B. Scott surveys, \$4,000.
Rosa Weeks to Wallace Brooks, north 65 feet off of lot No. 3 in block No. 17 of city of Rockdale, \$10.
City of Cameron to Mrs. Maude Slocumb, west one-half of lot No. 79 in Section O of Oak Hill cemetery \$60.
Oil and Gas Lease
A. B. Lehmann to Gilbert Fritz, 12 3-4 acres of the J. J. Liendo grant \$1.00.
Cecil L. Allen et ux to Furmon Sheffield, lots Nos. 10 and 11 of the

Allen Addition to City om Cameron \$300.
Marshall McNeil to E. H. Foster, 1-9 interest in 96 acres of the James Prewitt league, \$22-100th dollars.
Mary Jane Foster to William Porter, East one-half of six acres of land in the James McLaughlin league, \$10 and other considerations.
George Nichols et ux to J. A. Pagan, lot No. 3 of block B. of the Douthet-Coulter addition, \$225.
Rosa Jean Meyers to Earl Davis, a lot in the City of Rockdale in the William Mitchell survey \$200.
L. R. Dunham et ux, to Rex Marshall et ux, part of block No. 121 in the City of Rockdale \$10.
W. M. Ingwersen et ux, to Carl Crafton et al, 200 acres of the J. Wilcox survey, \$7,000.
J. C. Roark et ux to J. M. Crump, 31 acres of the S. C. Robertson grant \$10 and other valuable considerations.
J. S. Hubert et ux, to S. H. McDermott, lots Nos. 3 and 4 in block No. 6 of the Sountry Club addition to City of Cameron, \$3,500.
W. C. DeBose to Charlie Montgomery et al, part of lots Nos. 19 and 20 in block No. 10 in west Cameron \$800.
C. A. Forbes et ux, to W. W. Berry lots Nos. 8 and 9 in block No. 16 in

City of Thorndale, of the John A. Michalk sub-division of North one-half of block No. 16 of City of Thorndale \$300.
Rex, Marshall et ux to L. R. Dunman, part of block No. 2 of the City of Rockdale, of the William Mitchell survey, \$10 and other considerations.
Felix C. Matula et ux to Felix Matula, Jr. et ux, part of lot No. 6 in Terral Addition to City of Cameron \$10 and other considerations.
Mrs. N. M. Bullock to J. W. Weatherly et ux, S. E. Corner of lot No. 1 of block No. 109, making a lot 50x160 feet in size, of the A. F. Burdard survey, \$300.
Allen Dyer et ux, to R. N. McGuire, 50 acres of the A. F. Burdard survey \$300.
Doren Orr Shanklin et vir, to W. E. Gaither, 50 feet off of the South end of lots Nos. 16, 17, 18 and 19 in block No. 1 in City of Rockdale, \$10 and other valuable considerations.
Lena Perry Shropshire et al, to Gaither Motor Co, North portion of lots Nos. 16, 17, 18 and 19 in block No. 1 in City of Rockdale, \$10 and other valuable considerations.
M. W. Longmire et ux to Hiram E. Sheffield et ux, Lot No. 2 in Fleming addition to City of Cameron, \$10 and other valuable considerations.
Agnes Gartner to Mrs. Cora Lee Matula, west one-half of block P in Gartner addition to City of Cameron, \$10 and other considerations.
E. L. Peed et ux, to W. J. Weise, Jr., et ux, 50 acres of the Sterrett Dobbins league, \$1,400.
Cecil L. Allen et ux, to Lucille McIntosh, lots Nos. 24 and 36 of the Allen Addition to City of Cameron \$5.
New Cars
Georgie A. Cone 1948 Buick 2-door Sedan.
L. L. Morriss 1948 Dodge Cust. 4-door.
Phillips & Luckey 1948 Chevrolet Pickup.
Ernest R. Kunchick Jr 1948 Willys Universal Jeep.
New Cars
Roy Henry 1948 International truck.
W. W. Farmer 1948 Chevrolet Sedan.
Fred Gresak 1948 Chevrolet Aero Sedan.
D. C. Luckey 1948 Bucik 71 Sedan.

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L. O. Mayfield 1948 Chevrolet Pickup.
H. F. Smith Est. 1948 Ford Pickup.
Drayton McLane 1948 Chevrolet Sedan.
Leland L. Gaston 1948 Ford Pickup.
A. B. Criddle 1948 Ford Truck.
Brown & Root Inc. 1948 Dodge Pickup.
Fred Frazier 1948 Frazier 4-door Sedan.
Roy M. Wright 1948 Chevrolet Coupe.
Texas Power & Light Co. 1948 Ford Pickup.
Rex Bartlett 1948 Willys Universal Jeep.

Ben F. Reichert 1948 Olds 4-door Sedan.
PROBATE COURT
April 19, 1948. Will of R. Henry Melde, deceased, admitted to probate. Will Vaughan, Womack, Bra-shear and August Gurecky appointed appraisors.
SON TO THE SANDERFORD'S
Rev. and Mrs. Matthew A. Sanderford, Sr. are the proud parents of a son, Matthew Anderson Sanderford, Jr. born at Newton Memorial Hospital Thursday, April 29, 1948. The baby weighed 8 pounds and 2 ounces. Rev. Sanderford is pastor at the First Baptist church in Milbino. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

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This increase of 15 1/2 cents already has been accepted by the 19 other railroad unions. But the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, and the Switchmen's Union of North America won't accept what more than 90% of all railroad employees have accepted. They have called a strike to get more!

Unions refuse rules discussion

Certain rules changes demanded by these union leaders—which would increase wages still further—were recommended by the Board. But the union leaders want more—they demand that the railroads put into effect ALL the changes they asked for, including those the Board felt should be denied.

On top of this, they insist that certain rules changes proposed by the railroads be withdrawn—in spite of the fact that the Board recommended them! These union leaders have refused to negotiate except upon these arbitrary terms.

Greater wage increase not justified

Engineers and firemen are among the highest paid of all employees in America, as figures in the box show. This strike threat doesn't justify giving a greater increase than other railroad workers received.

Emergency Boards are a means provided by the Railway Labor Act in the public interest to avoid strikes. The President's Board

In contrast, this small group of railroad union leaders are attempting to flout the intent and spirit of the Railway Labor Act, and dictate their own terms.

They have dictated a paralyzing railroad strike.

You will be the victim!

How long will the American public stand for the undemocratic, arbitrary, and abusive use of the right to strike and the disregard of the obligation to provide transportation? How long can the American people permit a few dictatorial union leaders to defy the processes provided for peaceful settlement of disputes?

Force seldom produces settlements that are either fair or lasting. Moreover, a point is often reached when personal interests must be held subordinate to the greater public welfare. That is why the railroads have accepted the Emergency Board recommendations. That is also why the leaders of these three unions should reconsider their decision to call a paralyzing strike.

Compare these wages with what you make!

Type of Employee	1939 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings with Wage Increases Recommended by President's Board
ENGINEERS			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$3,966	\$6,152	\$6,785
Road Passenger	3,632	5,391	6,025
Road Freight (Through)	3,147	4,682	5,167
Yard	2,749	4,078	4,740
FIREMEN			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$2,738	\$4,721	\$5,310
Road Passenger	2,732	4,544	5,176
Road Freight	2,069	3,480	3,914
Yard	1,962	3,156	3,646

Railroad wages computed from Interstate Commerce Commission Statement M-300

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STATE SENATOR—

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gram, including the \$55.00 per capita apportionment raise and the teacher's \$2,000,000 minimum salary raise, and have favored during the Senate a tax on natural resources for the payment of these worthy obligations of the State.

My sense of fairness and justice has also convinced me that the State Road Users Gasoline Tax of four cents a gallon should only apply to road users and that this tax should not be added to gasoline which is used for farm purposes, and I have voted against measures attempting to repeal the present law since I have been in the Senate. I do not think the farmers and other users of gasoline, which is not used for driving on the roads and highways, should be forced to contribute to the payment of this tax.

I have also always favored a farm-to-market road program and at the last session of the Legislature I voted for a farm-to-market road bill, and will do so at the next session of the Legislature.

The present condition of our penitentiary system is brought about by reason of lack of sufficient funds with which to correct the evils prevailing there at this time, such as better living conditions and segregation of the prisoners. This is a necessary and imperative expenditure on

the part of the State. I have served on the penitentiary committee in the Senate, and I am entirely familiar with the situation. No improvement can be made in the penitentiary system until this money is appropriated, and I have at all times advocated this expenditure, and shall continue to do so in the future.

At the end of the session of the last Legislature there was no money left in the Treasury. This was because the Legislature did not pass a Natural Resource Tax Bill. I supported a Natural Resource Tax Bill, but the big interests of this State defeated it. By reason thereof the schools and teachers of the greater part of this State are now having to borrow money to pay the teacher's salaries, and in addition thereto the State Ad Valorem Tax has been increased thirty-five cents on the hundred dollars over what it was last year. I shall continue to advocate a sufficient amount of money in the treasury to prevent this deplorable condition.

Other vital matters and questions will come before the Legislature. If re-elected, I assure you that I shall continue to uphold my past record in the Texas Senate and to represent all the people of my State and District to the best of my ability.

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SAN MARCOS TEAM IS
WINNER OF RACES

Central Texas Firemen in their 23rd annual convention here Sunday spent a busy day and named Calvert as the site of the 1949 Convention.

The busy day ended with a barbecue at the National Hall near the city and featured by an address by Homer Garrison, director of the Public Safety Commission.

Olin Culberson, member of the Railroad Commission, was among the guests for the day.

San Marcos racing team won the pumper races and the first prize of \$75.00. Seguin was second to get the \$50.00 prize and Taylor was third to capture \$25.00.

The San Marcos team made the time of 17.8.

It was the fifth time that Cameron had entertained the convention.

The program followed the announced schedule with registration at 9 a. m. at the fire station. The business session opened at 10:20 a. m. with Mayor Roy Griffith extending a welcome and this was responded by Joe Almond of Lampasas, First Vice President of the Association.

Bill Morrison, county attorney, delivered an address as a salute to the Firemen.

Officers of the Cameron Volunteer Fire Department are: Hayden Lawrence, President; August Gurecky, Vice President; John C. Andres, Secretary; Ralph Michalka, Chief; W. J. Brashear, Assistant Chief and John P. Eanes, Marshal.

MRS. ELZIE DOBBINS
DIED IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Elzie Dobbins, a native of Milam county died Friday, April 23, in Modesto, California after an extended illness.

She was buried Tuesday, April 27, at Roswell, New Mexico where she had resided for the past several years.

Mrs. Dobbins was born in Milam county January 8, 1883 and was married to the late Charles D. Dobbins in December 1902.

She was a member of Walkers Creek Baptist church where they made their home until 1916, when they moved to New Mexico.

She is survived by four sons, Gordon, Charles, Dwight and Clarence all of California. Two daughters, Mrs. Pauline Martin and Mrs. Ruby Miller of Roswell, New Mexico. A number of grandchildren also survive and one great grandson born April 25, 1948.

She also leaves one brother M. C. Hill of Maysfield and three sisters, Mrs. J. W. Wilkerson, Mrs. W. R. Harris and Mrs. Will Vaughn all of Cameron.

Jones Prairie For
Truman; Instruct
Delegates Accordingly

Jones Prairie sent their delegates to the county convention instructed for Truman, it was stated here Monday by J. A. McKinney, chairman.

The following is the transcript of the minutes of the meeting held at Jones Prairie Saturday, naming delegates to the county convention to meet at 2 p. m. Tuesday, May 4 in Cameron:

"We, the Democrats of Precinct No. 7, Jones Prairie, do hereby meet in Precinct Convention and select the following delegates to the County Convention meeting in Cameron Tuesday, May 4th. We send the following delegates to the county convention, instructed to vote for Harry S. Truman, as nominee for President of the United States." The delegates, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Stidham, O. T. Canady, Ethel McKinney, J. A. McKinney, R. H. Glenn and Burnett McKinney.

Lamesa Voters Okeh
\$1,000,000 Bonds
For Their Schools

LAMESA, May 1—Lamest voters today approved 837 to 402 a million dollar bond issue for a new high school and general repairs to the school system.

Two other measures also were approved. One called for an increase in the school tax rate from \$1 per \$100 valuation to \$1.50. It carried 864 to 380. The second issue was the assumption of the outstanding bonded indebtedness of nine consolidated school districts which included the city of Lamesa. The vote was 867 for and 368 against.

Mrs. Dora Minton and Myrtle Minton spent the past week end in Houston with relatives.

Walter Hagemister of Route 2 Rogers was a Cameron visitor this week and became a reader of The Herald.

McGregor Chamber
Commerce Seeking
Approval 250 Homes

McGREGOR, May 1—McGregor's Chamber of Commerce this week launched a plan to obtain FHA approval for the building of 250 housing units here.

This will expedite the approval of loans where houses of this type are wanted. Any private citizen or building corporation will be eligible to draw from this housing pool.

Many citizens are planning on building and this will greatly assist this group in obtaining their loans.

The Chamber can also furnish information on proper papers which should be filled out and assist in many ways in aiding a prospective home owner in obtaining a loan approved.

A Chamber spokesman stated his is most certain that such an approval will be granted by FHA, and just as soon as such word is received, announcement will be made.

Battetown Baptist
Church Sponsors
A Stork Shower

Battetown Baptist church members are sponsoring a stork shower for Mrs. C. Springer at 3 p. m. on Thursday of this week, it was announced by the church pastor.

Mrs. Chester Hays is chairman of the shower committee and anyone who wishes may contact Mrs. Hays to make contributions to the gifts for Mrs. Springer. Telephone 847-M to contact Mrs. Hays.

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FOUR COUNTIES ARE
HIT BY TORNADOS

Four persons are known to be dead and hundreds injured in the path of a Texas twister that demolished a large section of the city of McKinney late Monday and spread to adjoining communities.

Three of the dead were from McKinney. The neighboring community of Princeton was also hard hit.

Property damage will run well over a million dollars according to estimates early Tuesday.

The dead are:

A 14 year old boy who was not identified but death confirmed at the McKinney hospital.

Mrs. Yola Lowry, 77, died of injuries in McKinney hospital.

Mrs. Verdie Larry, employe of a textile mill in McKinney.

J. H. Maynard, a Princeton farmer, killed by lightning.

Cyclones struck in a number of Texas areas Monday. A storm occurred at Nocona, at Cumby and Merit and Commerce. The tornado at McKinney was the most disastrous.

A company of Marines were summoned late Monday to take over patrol in the stricken area of McKinney and nearby communities.

Miss Verna Mae Guthrie of Thornedale, veteran nurse of the late war has signed with the Arabian Oil Company, and will leave New York by plane on May 23 for Arabia. Miss Guthrie served in Switzerland and Germany during the war. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Guthrie of San Gabriel, and the niece of the late Isaac Duncum of Cameron.

Raymond W. Kurtz, 18, whose wife, Mrs. Bernice Louise Kurtz, lives at Cameron, has been accepted for enlistment in the Regular Army Field Artillery at Austin for three years.

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